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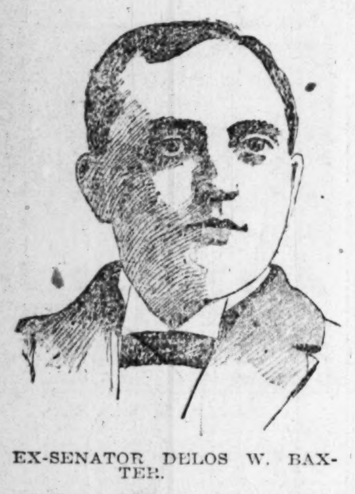
THE PESKY CHIGRE A FACTOR

OUTRANKING ALL OTHER INSECTS IN ILLINOIS LEGISLATION

It Springs Into Prominence in the Selection of a Site for the Proposed Epileptic Colony in Jersey County Near the Illinois River and Occupies the Time of a Legislative Committee.



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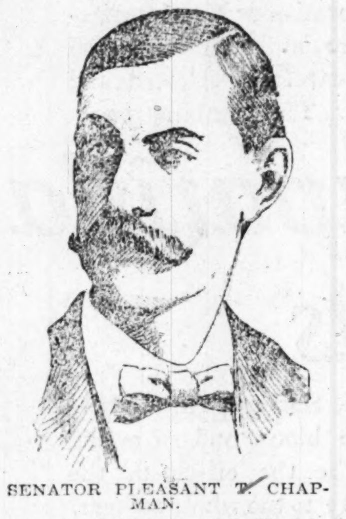

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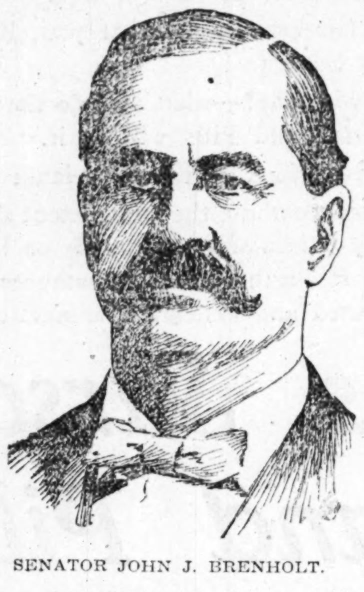


SENATOR JOHN J. BRENHOLT.

From a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 6.—Kansas has immortalized the grasshopper, New Jersey has made the mosquito famous and now Illinois is engaged in lifting the chigre to a plane of eminence and importance to which no insect ever before dared aspire.

It has permitted this tiny red tormentor of the rural picnicker to climb into the state legislative machinery and to intrench itself so formidably in the senatorial cogs as to endanger the fate of two bills, each involving an expenditure of $350,000 of the coin of the commonwealth.

In so doing the chigre is arraying itself in opposition to the wishes of the state board of charities, of which the distinguished Dr. Emil Hirsch of Chicago was last week appointed a member. This board, in a printed report of 22 pages, recommended the establishment of an epileptic colony either at Notchcliffe, Jersey County, a few miles above Alton, or at Grand Detour, Ogle County, in the extreme northern portion of the state.

Now that the chigre has bored and bitten its way into the fight, much irritation is evident among the champions of the rival sites and the members of the senate committe on appropriations, which has the bills under consideration, may decide to pigeonhole both of them for the balance of the session.

But the gala day for the Illinois chigre is yet to come. Next Thursday Chairman Chapman and the other members of the appropriations committee will hold a public hearing on both bills in the committee room at the capitol. For hours that day the chigre will receive fierce verbal denunciations, possibly a few oratorical bouquets, from some of the cleverest speakers in the big state.

Ex-Senator Delos W. Baxter of Rochelle, Ogle County, and Ephraim Banning, a Chicago lawyer, whom Rabbi Hirsch succeeded on the board, will picture the harrowing details of life in a chigre-infested locality and will try to prove to the satisfaction of the committee that the vicinity of Elsah, Jersey County, where the Notchcliffe site is located, is such a locality.

IN BEHALF OF THE CHIGRE.

Senator John J. Brenholt of Alton, in whose district Notchcliffe is located, and who was a candidate for Congress last fall, will attempt to show that the picture painted by Messrs. Baxter and Banning of Northcliffe is an illusion and a nightmare. He will incidentally read the report of a chigre expert as to the prevalence of the insect about Elsah and will also have a few kind words for the chigre to show that he is not as Messrs. Baxter and Banning would paint, a merciless, inhuman creature, who would revel in fiendish delight if permitted to swoop down and pester ad libitum the state's epileptic charges.

Next Thursday's chigre symposium will be one of the concluding scenes in this weird legislative drama. The preliminary acts are scattered over a period of nearly two years.

On April 19, 1899, the Forty-first General Assembly of Illinois passed an act providing for the establishment of an epileptic colony and directing the State Board of Charities to select a suitable location and prepare a bill to be introduced in the present assembly.

The board did as directed, but failed to agree on a site. The majority recommended the Notchcliffe site, owned by Mrs. Lucy V. Semple Ames, and the adjoining "Ellestoun" property, then owned by Henry S Turner, both Mrs. Ames and Mr. Turner being St. Louisans. The board secured an option on the purchase of the site with its improvements for $100,000. The property embraces 1630 acres jointly.

A minority of the board, including Mr. Banning, recommended the purchase of a tract at Grand Detour, comprising about 1185 acres, with improvements worth $20,000, for $78,000.

When the new assembly met in January Senator Brenholt promptly introduced the bill, providing for the purchase of the Notchcliffe site. A few weeks later Senator Andrus of Rockford, who had succeeded Baxter, introduced the similar bill favoring the Ogle County site.

Both bills, as they involved the expenditure of $350,000, were referred to the committee on appropriations, of which Senator Pleasant T. Chapman of Vienna, Johnson County, is chairman.

Senator Chapman's committee has been very busy this session and it was not until recently that it decided to take up the epileptic colony bill.

Some ten days ago Senator Chapman announced, however, that there would be a hearing on the bill last Wednesday. Notice was sent to the interested parties and the committee room was crowded when the bills were taken up.

Senator Brenholt is a member of the committee and he sat in his accustomed place. Banning and Baxter were both on hand, too. Banning came into the committee room with a small satchel which he announced contained a bundle of letters and affidavits against the Notchcliffe site, with particular bearing on the subject of chigres.

He handed to Clerk R. A. Hundley of the committee a bundle of letters testifying to the prevalence of chigres in the vicinity of Elsah and other points along the river front in Jersey County. These letters were mainly from St. Louisans, among the writers being Frank W. Snyder, an insurance man; Charles W. Nugent, Mrs. J. B. Nichols of 2128A Oregon avenue, C. H. Wickard and William M. Horton, who was the Republican candidate for Congress last fall in the Twelfth district.

PAINTED GHASTLY PICTURE.

There were two letters from Snyder and also two from Dr. W. R. Smith of Alton.

Banning read sections from some of the letters, which are reproduced with this article, and particularly brought out some of the strong points in Mr. Snyder's terrific arraignment of the chigre.

Then Baxter took a fling at the chigre. He portrayed the chigre as a most formidable creature. He cited several illustrations of dreadful consequences accruing to full-grown men and women from encounters with the "little red pest." He delved at great length into the dangers of contact with the chigre and painted a ghastly picture of the scenes that would ensue if the Illinois epileptics were forced by the state into an atmosphere where the chigre flourished and could prey upon them at will.

Senator Baxter injected a dash of humor into his narrative, however, and at times made even the delegations from Alton, Elsah and Jerseyville, who were present, smile at his references to their Garden of Eden.

Senator Brenholt answered the opposition speeches in language more expressive than numerous. He ridiculed their chigre arguments and scoffed at the idea that so brainy and dignified a body of men as the senate appropriations committee should for a minute consider such an argument seriously. He announced, however, that on Thursday next, he would present a number of counter affidavits.

"I will present letters from a large number of residents of Elsah and vicinity," Col. Brenholt told the Post-Dispatch, "to show that the presence of chigres there is no greater than any other places similarly situated. I have lived quite close to Notchcliffe (it's only 10 miles from Alton) for 25 years, and I have never seen a chigre. I have had an expert investigate the alleged prevalence of chigres about Elsah, and I will present his report Thursday. It will show that chigres are no more numerous about Elsah than at any other place where there are dog fennel or gypsum weeds. The idea of chigres being so prevalent about Elsah as to lessen its desirability as a residence place is ridiculous."

Col. Brenholt says that the Ogle County people are trying to use the argument that the water at Elsah, the town being just 10 miles below the mouth of the Illinois river, is polluted with Chicago drainage. He says this is of no value as there is an artesian well on the premises.

"The only thing I am afraid of now is that the Legislature may decide not to make an appropriation for the epileptic colony at all this session, in a spirit of economy," he said. "If either bill is passed, I feel sure it will be ours—yes, chigres or no chigres," adding the last phrase in response to a question.

The Senate committee on appropriations, which will be called on to settle this chigre dispute, consists of Senators Chapman, Andrus, Busse, Gardner, Dawson, Schumway, Koch, McKenzie, Butler, Mahoney, Campbell, Coleman, Templeton, Brenholt and Butler.

The other letters are in similar strain. Mr. Wickard says he does not think a place where chigres congregate a proper location for an epileptic colony and recites an experience where an entire party, of which he was a member, were attacked by chigres in a boat, near Elsah, and all were "sorely" afflicted.

Following are some of the letters on file with Senate appropriations committee testifying to the prevalence of the pesky chigres. The letters, it will be seen, are from prominent men of St. Louis:

WORSE THAN MOSQUITOES.

From my personal knowledge I am able to state that the Notchcliff, Elestoun and Eastover properties above referred to, and, in fact, all other properties along the river front between Alton and Grafton are infested from three to four months every summer with very small red insects, known there as the chigre, which is extremely annoying and troublesome to residents and visitors. It creeps into the flesh and imbeds itself in the flesh, where it lives on the blood until it swells to such proportions that it seems to burst, and cause a small ulceration which is very painful and annoying. It is so small that it can hardly be seen, and sometimes many hundred get onto a person at the same time. I have certainly had many hundred on me at one time while going through blackberry bushes, etc. They cause a terrible itching sensation, and if not removed at once become imbeded in the flesh and produce swelling and painful sensations somewhat like mosquito bite. After a rain they creep up on the grass to get away from the wet ground, and are worse than at other times. When I have gone out after a rain I have sometimes had them get on me in such numbers that I would run home as fast as possible to take a salt water bath to get them off. The soreness produced by their biting or getting under the flesh generally lasts from three to five days. From my own experience I consider them much worse than mosquitoes, ticks or fleas because so many more of them are liable to get on to a person and become imbedded in his flesh, and because the effects of their bite continue much longer and cause much greater pain and irritation.

The only way to get any relief from them at all was to take a very strong salt-water bath, but even this would not remove all of them because some would have imbedded themselves under the skin, after which they could not be removed, except by using a very sharp knife, pin or other instrument, and, even when removed in this manner, the poison seemed to remain and cause irritation or small ulcerated sore. The residents say that to grease the flesh thoroughly with the rind of a piece of bacon will kill the insects, but from my experience I consider this remedy worse than the evil itself.

I have often seen summer boarders go out on to the lawn and apparently become covered with these insects. Not understanding or realizing what the trouble was they would sometimes do very curious or amusing things in endeavoring to relieve themselves from pain or irritation. I have often seen them go out a distance from the house, and, after looking to see whether anyone was in sight, go through a series of scratching and rubbing to relieve themselves. Summer boarders rarely go back for more than a second year, and I have heard this given as a reason for their not returning.

These insects infest the high lands as well as the low lands, along the river bank, and are understood to be most numerous close to the river. The further back one goes the fewer he finds until at a distance of about three miles, more or less, they disappear entirely. They are generally in the grass and low bushes, but during very dry weather they often leave the grass and get on to the walks in yards and other places, and also on the limestone banks of the river, where people are accustomed to stroll or sit in the evening and other pleasant times.

Like mosquitoes, they do not attack everyone, but they do attack the majority of people that they come in contact with. In our family my father was rarely ever troubled, but my mother, sister and myself have often been almost eaten up by them.

FRANK W. SNYDER.

Mr. Snyder is St. Louis manager of the New York Mutual Life Insurance Co.

THE CHIGRE IN POSSESSION.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 1, 1901.

Hon. Ephraim Banning, Chicago, Ill.

Dear Sir: I am in receipt of your letter of Jan. 30, stating that the Illinois state board of charities are contemplating the neighborhood of Elsah, Jersey County, Ill., as a location for a farm and asylum for epileptics and that you desire any information that I can give you as to whether that country is infected with the Chigre, and if so whether I would consider it a detriment to the success of such an institution.

I am a property owner adjoining the village of Elsah and with my family have spent a good portion of each year there for the past ten years. The insect has possession of the country and loses no opportunity to make its presence konwn in a prompt and effective manner. My family, even though they have learned to be careful, suffer very much every year. A visitor or unwary person is sure to come in contact with it and they always carry away a lasting remembrance.

Respectfully yours,

WILLIAM M. HORTON.

A DOCTOR'S EXPERIENCE.

ALTON, Ill., Feb. 19, 1901.

Hon. E. Banning, Chicago.

Dear Sir: Your letter of the 18th instant at hand. In reply, will say that I have practiced in Jersey County for the past five years in the vicinity of the proposed site of the Illinois State Colony for the Epileptics. I know from my own personal knowledge that all along the river in that vicinity it is infected with chigres, for about three months in the year—during the summer. The insect is quite annoying, the female being the only one that gives any trouble. She is likely to work her way down the side of the small hairs on the limbs. Having done so, an itching sensation is at once set up, which increases the more it is irritated.

The chigre of this vicinity should not be confounded with that of the West Indies. It is my opinion that our chigre here differs from the chigre of Cuba and Porto Rico, in that the chigre there, after it enters the skin and irritation has commenced, sets up a violent pain; violent inflammation and even gangrene may follow. The chigre bite here is not so severe. While it does cause an intense itching, the results are not serious. I have treated numbers of cases, but have never seen any serious results follow from the bite. No doubt, the scratching with unclean finger-nails might pave the way for an infection. A few cases of this kind have come under my observation and I have seen large sores formed in that way.

People in Elsah take precautions against the insect, and do not experience so much inconvenience as strangers. They avoid the grass on damp mornings and days, and the section men, some of them, grease their legs from the knees down, in order to keep them off. The cultivated lands are not infected with these insects. Farmers a mile back from the river do not know what they are at all. They, no doubt, would be a source of some annoyance to those who are of an irritable disposition, if they come in contact with them.

Respectfully, W. R. SMITH, M. D.

NO CUT RATES ON YUKON.

Alaska Trading and Transportation Trust to Be Formed.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 6.—The proposed combination of the Alaska trading and transportation companies will soon be completed. The parties to the deal are the Alaskan Exploration Co., capitalized at $1,000,000; the Alaskan Commercial Co., capital $2,000,000, and the North American Trading and Transportation Co., with a capital of $5,000,000. It is yet uncertain whether the Ames Mercantile Co., capitalized at $200,000, will join the combine.

The new corporation, representing the united interests of the companies named, will be called the Yukon Mercantile Co. This city will be made the supply point and largely the point of departure for vessels of its fleet.

The negotiations have been carried on as secretly as possible and have been actually fruitful of but one large result up to the present time. That consists in the agreement that has been made to regulate the transportation on the Yukon River. There will be no more cut rates.

GULF AND SHIP ISLAND.

It Will Be Built to Harrisburg at an Early Day.

JACKSON, Miss., April 6.—Maj. S. S. Bullis, general manager of the Gulf & Ship Island Railroad from the time active work north of Hattiesburg was begun till a few days ago, when he sold his interests to President Jones, spent Saturday in Jackson and paid his respects to the governor and other state officials. Being asked what he thought of the prospect for completion of the Mobile, Jackson & Kansas City road, Maj. Bullis said, in effect, that it would be completed to Hattiesburg at an early day, but he doubted its extension north of that city, at least for the present. The road is in operation from Mobile to Merrill, about 50 miles.

WHAT MADE FRANCIS A WORLD'S FAIR LEADER

CHARACTERISTICS OF ONE OF THE MEN WHO MADE FAVORABLE LEGISLATION POSSIBLE.

ALERTNESS IS HIS CHIEF POINT

Careful Analysis of D. R. Francis, Whose Activity and Tenacity Helped Wring From Congress a Pledge of Five Million Dollars.

D. R. FRANCIS' PART IN WORLD'S FAIR WORK

September 1898—Appointed by the Missouri Historical Society a member of a citizens' committee of 50 to decide on the manner of celebrating the centennial of the Louisiana Purchase.

Jan. 11, 1899—At a convention of delegates from all the Louisiana Purchase states at the Southern Hotel he was appointed chairman of the World's Fair executive committee.

Feb. 25 1899—Was one of a committee of St. Louisans present at a banquet at Washington at which senators and representatives of the Louisiana Purchase states were guests of the World's Fair General Committee.

April 23—Was one of the speakers at a citizens' massmeeting at Music Hall at which $4,244,670 was subscribed toward the $5,000,000 fund, which St. Louis had pledged itself to raise.

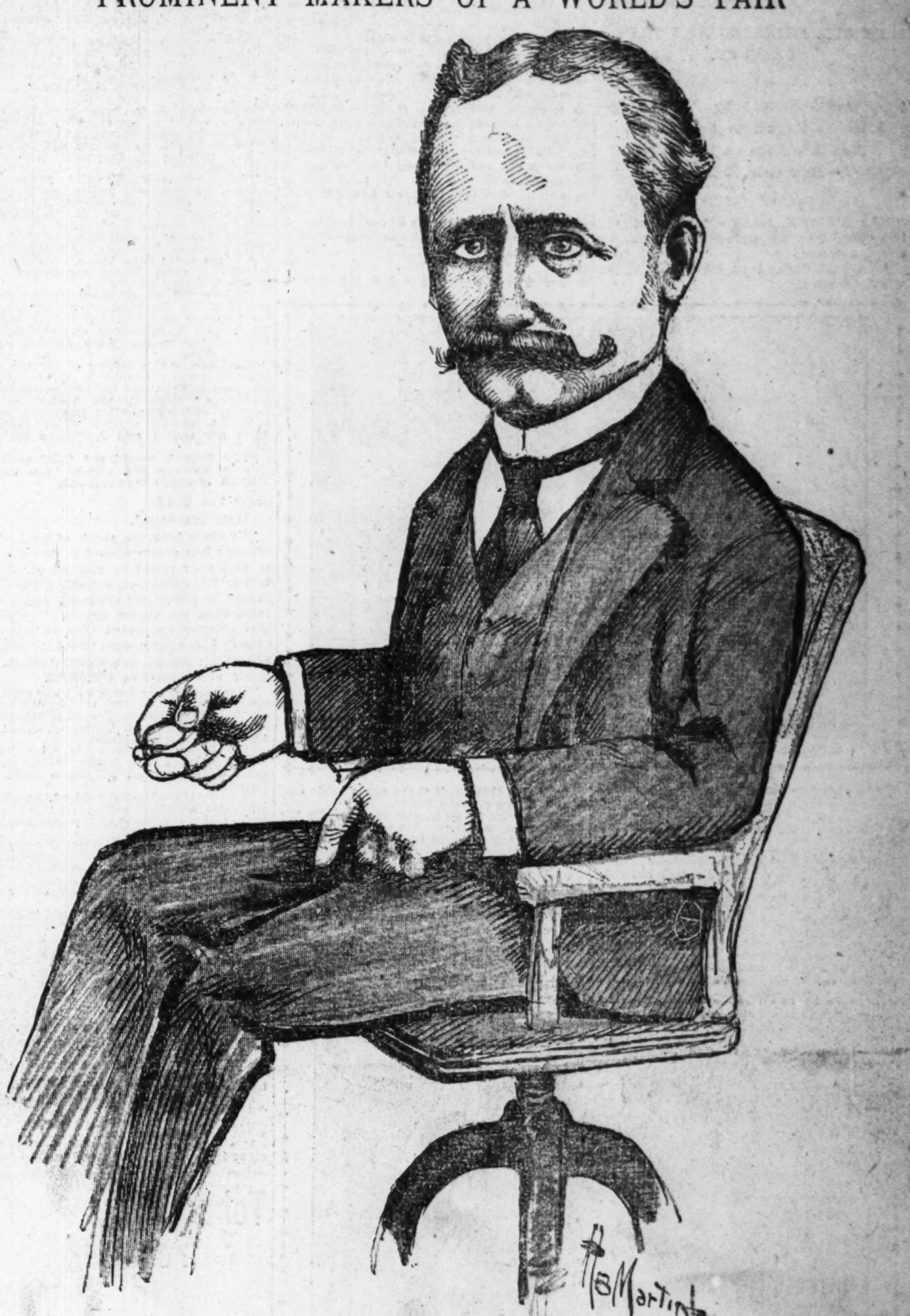
April 27, 1900—Appeared before the special committee of Congress appointed to investigate the World's Fair project. Remained in Washington and enlisted the services of Senators Cockrell and Allison in behalf of the World's Fair bill authorizing the appropriation of $5,000,000 by the government.

June 4 1900—The bill was passed by the Senate.

Jan. 12, 1901—Submitted to a special committee of Congress the certificate of the fulfillment of St. Louis' obligation.

March 7, 1901—With C. H. Spencer and Seth W. Cobb was accorded a great popular reception on his return from Washington.

PROMINENT MAKERS OF A WORLD'S FAIR



D. R. FRANCIS (NO. 1).

D. R. Francis is 50 years old.
He is 5 feet 11 inches tall.
He weighs 190 pounds.
His hair is light brown.
His mustache is of a slightly darker shade.
His eyes are blue.
His teeth are small, white and regular.
His forehead is broad rather than high.
His face is well nourished, but its aspect of fullness is relieved by the squareness of his chin, which is his strongest facial characteristic.
His nose is long and of Grecian mold.
His shoulders are broad and his frame well knit, but there is a grace about his contour that conceals his weight.
His favorite business attire is a quiet dark brown tweed suit, the coat cut in English walking style.
His ties are always black or dark blue four-in-hands.
He wears no jewelry.

When I went to the office of D. R. Francis it was for the purpose of asking him to supply those details in connection with his early training and subsequent career, which would give the thousands of St. Louisans who look upon him only as the head and front of the World's Fair movement, a clearer idea of the steps by which he mounted to his present commanding position.

As is nearly always the case, he was busy. He was standing near the blackboard, talking with a customer of his firm.

When he advanced toward me it was with a smile and an extended hand, two valuable assets whose full worth are known by D. R. Francis as well as by any man in St. Louis. A hand hanging limp at the side can be of little service. Extended, it closes, as often as not, on the next higher rung of the ladder. Ask David R. Francis. He knows.

"Have a seat," said this man who does things. While he was sinking into an easy chair he said:

"What can I do for you?"

I told him what was desired and added that I believed many thousands of persons in St. Louis were deeply interested in him, and [illegible] admired him greatly for his work in securing favorable World's Fair legislation.

Mr. Francis' eyes ran up and down the blackboard. He pushed his hat to the back of his head, rubbed his chin with his right hand, glanced at the ceiling and replied:

"I would be both unappreciative and insincere if I did not acknowledge—that I have been told so."

He was called to the telephone. When he returned he said:

"I have no desire to force myself on the public. You know the Greeks got tired of hearing Aristides called 'The Just.' Whatever work I have done—and there were others who worked just as hard—has not yet been crowned with success. The task lies before us. The future will show what praise or blame shall be given to us."

After another pause, during which he pushed his hat forward, Mr. Francis said:

"Modesty sits well on any man. I am not over modest. The people of St. Louis know me well. They followed my movements closely when I was mayor of the city, governor of the state and secretary of the interior. I believe there is nothing more I can say."

Another smile, once more the hand and the little talk was ended.

Mr. Francis himself does not know how many times a day heads are turned at his passing—because he never looks back. He has been traveling straight ahead ever since he came to St. Louis a farmer boy. He has kept his fellow-citizens guessing what his destination might be, but nine out of ten of them, whether they be his friends or his enemies, are willing to wager at odds that he will get there.

And he has enemies. If there were a spacious elevator in which all men might ride to the heights of success side by side and without crowding, all men would be friends.

If David R. Francis is to be judged by what seems to be his rule of action, he will not pull the ladder up after him when he gets to the top. Why? Well, he would have to turn around to do it; it would take valuable time and—best reason of all—he would have no further use for a ladder after he reached the summit. D. R. Francis has no use for things he has no use for. There is always use for men, so the more on top the merrier.

Mr. Francis has used men throughout a long career in business, politics and statesmanship. It is not on record that he ever misused a man. Neither is it set down that a man ever used him. One cannot go behind the records.

He has been successively the head of the greatest trade body in St. Louis, mayor of the city, governor of the State of Missouri and secretary of the interior in the President's cabinet and in all those positions singularly proof against aspersions on his personal character. The worst—or is it the best?—that has been said of him is that he never lost an opportunity to work out his own advancement.

One need not be his friend to acknowledg his ability as a doer of things. He made a success of his own business before he essayed to take charge of the business of the people of St. Louis. He acts while others are planning. Perhaps his line of action is not always the best possible, but his quickness puts him in the front on the narrow road that leads to consummation, and the others perforce must follow.

For at least fifteen years he has had his finger on the pulse of St. Louis. Perhaps he has at times hazarded an untried remedy, but he has cured more often than he has killed.

Thousands of St. Louisans today recognize David R. Francis as The Man in the World's Fair movement. Why? A glib tongue might frame the answer, "Because he did the work." This is the reply that might come from thousands of those who gave him their physical and moral support while he was doing the work. But what of those who in the early days shook their heads and pronounced the task hopeless? In this number were some who did not hesitate to voice the opinion that D. R. Francis and others were "in it for what they could get out of it."

When Messrs. Francis, Spencer and Cobb returned from Washington after winning the hard-fought battle of undying memory, many of these same men were in the immense crowd that greeted them. Wherein had the situation changed? Did the demonstration arise from the realization of success? In a sense it did, but perhaps only in this far, that the World's Fair movement had been passed on from the hands of the workers into those of St. Louis. From that moment St. Louis was "in it for what she could get out of it," and every man in St. Louis, according to his ability, was "in it for what he could get out of it." The possible self-interest of one man had been merged into the certain self-interest of the many.

The place which David R. Francis will occupy with reference to the Fair has not been determined. Only one steep on the Matterhorn of achievement has been scaled. Success is still far above and hidden from view by rugged crags and frowning ledges.

Who will dare to overcome them?

St. Louis' reputation hangs on the success of the ascent. The kind of man who could be trusted to "carry a message to Garcia" is needed. Is this man the one who has mastered the first peak?

Time will tell. W. H. JAMES.

FAVORS THE UNION LABEL.

Resolution Adopted by Lower House of Arkansas Legislature.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., April 6.—The House this morning adopted a resolution in favor of placing the union label on legislative printing. Bills were passed providing for a uniform system of log measurement and to prevent the destruction of government landmarks. Nearly all the morning was taken up in discussing McCain's bill providing for municipal ownership and operation of street railway lines in cities of 5,000 population and over.

The bill affects Little Rock only and three out of the four members from this city oppose it.

WILHELMINA AS SHE IS

United States Minister to the Netherlands Paints a Fine Word Picture of Her.

THE HAGUE, April 6.—Here is a description of Queen Wilhelmina by Stanford Newell, United States minister to the Netherlands, which is most correct. He says:

"Were I Tenyson I would write a poem about the young Queen of Holland which for appreciative tenderness would far surpass 'O Dream of Fair Women;' were I a Whistler I would convey to imperishable canvas her snowdrift neck, her daydawn face; but as I am only the humble representative of my country let me tell you something of Queen Wilhelmina's statesmanlike qualities.

"As a constitutional monarch the ordinary impression is that she is only a figurehead, but, mark you, she signs no document without thoroughly examining it and getting a sufficient reason from her ministers to justify her action. She doesn't command; she discusses, argues, reasons, looks for light. A minister who brings her a document to sign must be thoroughly prepared to answer questions and reply to objections.

"The Queen is well educated. Her mother made all else secondary to preparing her daughter for the position she now ocupies. When a question of foreign policy is brought before her, maps and charts are produced and she shows she is an excellent geographer.

"Queen Wilhelmina is Dutch in every fiber of her being. She is democratic, she loves plain people and they know it. She shows herself to them, makes speeches to them on every available occasion—does so even against the remonstrances of her courtiers, and proudly declares that all Dutch, no matter how humble their station, are equally dear to her. Indeed, I have reason to believe that she despiss snobbery in all shapes and forms.

"While she is a great admirer of the United States, and frequently refers to it as an example of progress for her own people, she had no toleration for the inflated pretension of our Knickbockers of New York.

"She says their names are unknown in Holland, and they are yet justified in constituting themselves into a caste.

"Queen Wilhelmina's union with [illegible] prince was unquestionably a love match, and it would have broken off had she not been very much in love with him and at the same time very tactful. He is a clean, clever, thoughtful young man. By his marriage certain public duties are imposed upon him, and Holland, not wishing to make any pecuniary provision for him, the young Queen has done so from her private estate.

"Comparing the commencement of her public life with that of Victoria when the latter was a girl Queen, I think Wilhelmina shows more thorough grasp of public affairs."

BROTHER GETS HIS JOB.

F. H. Wilson Resigns as Secretary of Town Site Board.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—Fred H. Wilson resigned today from the secretaryship of the Choctaw Nation Town Site Board. The place has been given to Charles A. Wilson. The two men are brothers. They are from Macon, Mo., where their father, S. J. Wilson, is postmaster.

The action of Mr. Wilson was not unexpected. He had been in the national capital for a number of days, and was an avowed candidate for the appointment as United States Marshal for the Central district of Indian Territory.

The appointment of B. F. Hackett as the United States marshal for the Central district of the Indian Territory yesterday destroyed Mr. Wilson's chances for that place and he decided to leave the commission and go to New York City, where he will be identified with the publication of a new magazine.

WILL RATIFY THE ELECTION.

Fireworks and Speeches Will Be Features at Jefferson Club.

The Jefferson Club will ratify the city election next Tuesday evening at the club house, Grand and West Pine boulevard. Before the meeting is called to order members of the club will form a parade and march to the residence of Mayor-elect Wells, and will escort him to the club.

There will be plenty of music and fireworks on hand to precede and intersperse the speeches. The meeting will be open and a large crowd will [illegible]

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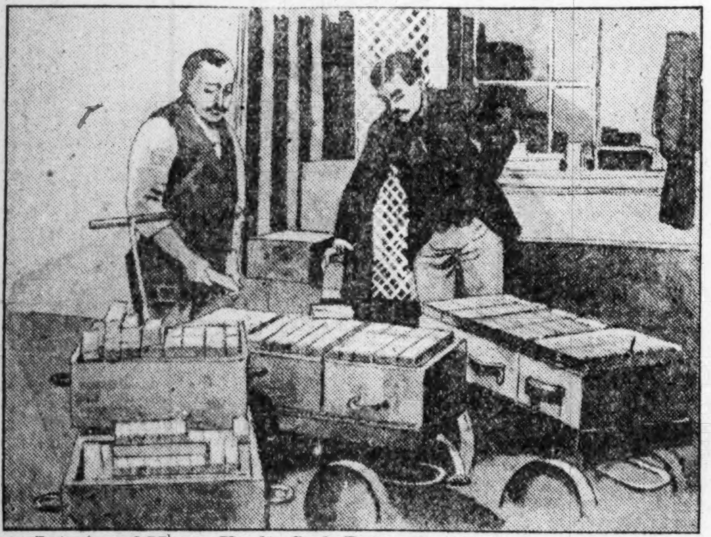
$5,000,000 in gold coin in bags weighs	19,000
$496,000,000 in gold coin in bags weighs	1,881,800

NOTE—The weight of gold coin in bags is included in this table because that is the way gold is kept in the treasury and sub-treasuries. Without bags, $1,000,000 in gold weighs 3695 pounds avoirdupois, and the other amounts proportionately less.

Gold is weighed by Troy weight at the assay offices and the mints; $1000 in gold weighs 53.75 Troy ounces or 4.473 Troy pounds. One thousand silver dollars in a bag weighs 60 pounds.

Avoirdupois comparisons are used here because the avoirdupois pound is the pound of commerce.



Interior of Money Vault, Cash Room, United States Treasury.

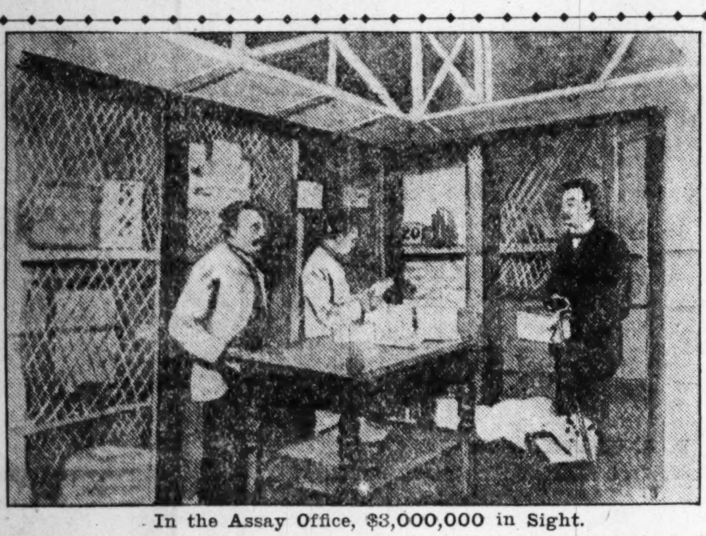
Ten years ago our standing as a financial power was not compared with that of England, Russia, France or Germany. Foreign financiers did not even know our wonderful resources.

Neither the commercial nor the monetary power of the United States was considered when comparisons were being made between other countries.

But all this is now changed.

As if some Midas had laid his hand on the finances of the country, everything has turned to gold.

Today we ship gold to Russia, France, Germany and England. All the great European gold consumers are knocking at our doors for loans. The tables seem to have been completely turned.



In the Assay Office, $3,000,000 in Sight.

Where are these enormous sums of gold stored?

Four hundred and ninety-six million dollars can be accounted for as lodged in the treasury of the United States.

This is a greater store of gold than was ever before accumulated by any nation (or individual.)

It is distributed among the nine subtreasuries of the country.

The largest pile of gold in the United States is in New York. It is at the subtreasury, corner of Nassau and Wall streets. There are one hunderd and seventy million dollars at that place in gold coin, exclusive of bullion.

A comparatively small amount is held in the treasury in Washington. General business is best facilitated by keeping the gold at the commercial centers. Still, it is all government treasure and is theoretically in the Washington vaults, for the treasury department comprises all the sub-treasuries.

Money is an abstract quantity at the treasury department. Millions in bills and coin are handled there every day by clerks with no thought as to its value. It is simply so much money with the buying power eliminated so far as the handler is concerned. There is no carelessness. An elaborate system of checks, cross checks and counter checks is in operation, from the time the gold comes into the assay office and the paper for the bills leaves the rolls in the single Massachusetts paper mill where it is manufactured. Great vaults yawn for it at night and hold it safe during the day when it is not needed for current business.

The gold vault in the treasury department is under the marble room in the treasury building, which, until the Congressional Library was built, was the government's most expensive room. It cost $300,000. In the room there are half a dozen cashiers, who make change and pay government warrants and checks. It is the cash room of the treasury. At the further end of the room is a vault, perhaps 10 feet square. In this vault there are a table and half a dozen electric lights.

The cashier stays in the vault while the cash room is open. He carries on his shelves a few millions in paper money, perhaps a million in gold coin (some loose in shining piles, some in bags made of heavy duck), some in silver.

Special Pass to Get Inside.

It takes a special pass to get into that vault. Once there the cashier shows you a $10,000 greenback, of which there are none now in circulation and but a few in the treasury; a $10,000 gold certificate and a $5000 gold certificate. They are in a frame, between glass. The cashier carries them as cash, but he keeps them in the frame so that visitors may "hold $25,000." If he isn't busy he will let you hold a package of $10,000 bills, done up in gray manila paper, that contains $4,000,000.

There is a little bag of double eagles on the table. You lift that and the cashier tells you it weighs 19 pounds and contains $5000. There are other bags of gold, mostly of the $20,000 size. At one side is a bag of silver dollars, 1000 of them. They weigh 60 pounds.

The main gold vault is 75 feet long, 20 feet wide and 12 feet high. It is under the center of the building. It is big enough to hold all the gold in the United States several times over. At present there is little gold in it. The walls are of solid masonry, 10 or 12 feet thick, with steel lining and sheathing. In the middle of the wall is a layer of steel balls, one on the other. If a thief should penetrate the outside walls, escape the watchmen, and try to bore through the vault, these steel balls, harder than any tool made, would not give his drills purchase; they would continually shift and present new surfaces. The vault doors are steel. There are two. Each has a time-lock. In the silver vault are three doors. The third one weighs six tons and is swung with a windlass. The silver vault contains 103,000,000 silver dollars.

Watchmen constantly patrol the corridors. They are members of the treasury watch, and have beats, like the policemen on the city streets. The captain of the watch sits at a desk near the Fifteenth street entrance.

The watch and the heavy doors and massive walls were the only protectors of the money until four years ago. Then a system of electric protection was installed that adds to the security of the vaults. When the vault doors are closed—and this applies to every vault in the building—a thin oak door, that is folded back in two parts against the wall while the vault is in use, is closed over the vault door. It is a fragile door. Its panels are not more than a quarter of an inch thick. It is fastened by a small brass draw-bolt, that a child could slip with one finger. But if a child or any one else should slip the bolt or touch the door a big electric bell would jangle where the captain of the watch sits and in every police station in the city.

Before the person who touched the door could do much more than turn around he would be covered with Winchesters.

The doors shut against a row of electric connections that surrounds the vault doors. When it is shut the connections are so delicate that they would transmit an alarm if a pin were stuck in a panel.

Before the Spanish-American war any visitor to the treasury department could see the vaults. Sometimes they were found open, and the visitors gazed in awe at the millions and millions piled in bags and boxes. When war was declared this privilege was shut off. It has never been renewed. The only way to see the vaults now is to get a pass from Treasurer Roberts.

The Gold Is Seldom Counted.

The gold is never counted piece by piece, except when there is a change of administration or a new treasurer comes in. The treasurer is responsible for the actual money of the government. He holds the cash. When a new treasurer comes in clerks count each piece of coin and each bill, and the retiring official takes the receipt of the incoming official. The money is always correct to a cent. It takes more than a month to count it. There has never been a shortage. The checks are too numerous and too rigid to allow any person to take a dollar without detection. The treasurer is bonded, as are the paying and receiving officials and the heads of the department. The clerks who handle, count, seal and pack the money are not bonded. The treasurer is responsible for all of them. But the money is so safeguarded that there is no possibility of loss.

There has never been an attempt to rob the vaults of the government. Plans may have been formed, but the actual attempt has never been made. The treasury building would resist an army. The walls are of granite, immensely thick. A gang of expert safeblowers could not work for ten minutes without detection on any wall or vault door. Before the vaults are reached there are corridors and halls and solid walls and empty spaces and iron-barred doors. A man with a bomb might shatter an outside wall, but he never could get to a vault door.

Concerning the position of this country in the monetary world, the deputy assistant treasurer at the subreasury in New York, Mr. M. L. Muhlmann, has made for the Sunday Post-Dispatch the following statement:

"According to the most recent monthly circular issued by the treasury department, the general stock of money in the United Sates on Feb. 1, was nearly two billion and a half dollars, or, to put it exactly, $2,460,117,009.

"This enormous amount is made up by adding the following items together: Gold coin, gold certificates, standard silver dollars, treasury notes of 1890, United States notes and national bank notes.

"The money in circulation in this country on Feb. 1, this year, was $2,190,780,213—$187,630,858 more than the amount in circulation last year. There was in the United States treasury $269,336,796.

"Taking the money in circulation and dividing it by the population—estimated by the treasury department at 77,195,000 persons up to Feb. 1, 1901—each person would get $28.38 if the money were divided equally among them.

"Estimating the money of foreign countries by similar standards, the inhabitants of Great Britain and Ireland would get but $17.46 each were all the money of their country divided equally; Russians, per inhabitant, would receive $6.89; Germans, $20.65 per capita and Austrians $22.98 per head.

"The French would get $37.03 each, but this is because few checks are used in French business transactions.

How the Gold Has Increased.

"To show how the stock of gold of this country has grown since 1895, the statistics of that year might be glanced at. France had in 1895 $850,000,000, exceeding the United States by $232,000,000; Germany had $7,000,000 more than the United States. The gold of this country amounted then to $618,000,000. Closely following it were Great Britain, with $580,000,000; Russia, $480,000,000; Austria, $140,000,000 and Australia $120,000,000.

"Compare those figures with our gold store today. Only July 1, 1900, we had $1,034,000,000, against $811,000,000 for France, $792,000,000 for Russia, $698,000,000 for Germany, Great Britain having but $487,000,000.

"We had $223,000,000 more than France, $242,000,000 more than Russia, $336,000,000 more than Germany and $547,000,000 more than England.

"The total estimated gold of the world in July, 1900, was $4,841,000,000. Of this available supply the United States possessed nearly one-fourth.

"The secret of the apparent anomaly is that since 1895 the United States have exported in merchandise something like $2,100,000,000 more than they imported. Foreign merchants have had to pay this country that amount.

"Part of this money was paid in gold and the rest in securities or other obligations.

"We not only received about $120,000,000 of gold from Europe, but we kept in this country the gold which we had produced. In the five years since 1895 our own product amounted to $320,000,000. Keeping the European gold and adding it to our own has made us today the owners of the greatest stock of gold on earth."

A million dollars in gold weighs 3000 pounds, Troy. Taking this as the standard, the stock of money in this country today would weigh more than 296 tons.

The general stock of money in this country on Feb. 1 was $2,460,117,009.

It is impossible for the mind to form a conception of so vast an amount. Comparisons must be used to give any idea of what the figures mean.

If all this money were made into bricks eight inches long and piled lengthwise, one on top of another, the pile would be 62 miles high.

If all the sky-scrapers in New York over 200 feet in height were placed end on end they would make a column 1276 feet more than one mile in height. The pile of gold would exceed them by more than sixty miles.

If, instead of piling the bricks up, they were laid flat on the earth, the line would reach from New York five miles beyond Trenton, N. J. These bricks laid down in the streets of New York would extend six times back and forth between the Battery and One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street. They would pass around Manhattan Island nearly two and one-half times.

IMPROVED MIND.

The Food Grape-Nuts.

A famous woman says, "I am so much in love with Grape-Nuts that I presume I often bore people telling them about the new food. You certainly will make an everlasting fortune from the sale of it. The article has become the best known cereal on the market."

It can hardly be called a cereal for it is not like the common rolled wheat or rolled oats, but it is in the form of granules, ranging from the size of a pin head up to twice or three times that size.

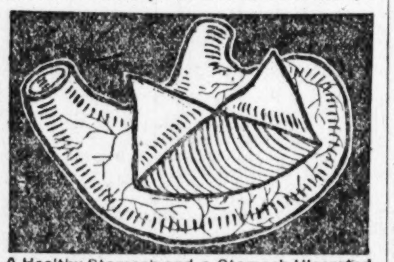
It is thoroughly cooked at the factory, and requires no preparation whatever, but can be served instantly with hot milk or hot cream to make a hot mush, or cold cream can be poured in the side of the saucer and a very delicious crisp food is the result. Not only is the taste fascinating, but the nutritive value of the food is very great as shown by the improved condition physically and mentally, of those who use it ten days or two weeks.

Tobacco Poisoned Stomachs.

Many Men Who Are Doctoring for Throat Trouble, Dyspepsia or Chronic Stomach Ache Are Suffering from Nicotine.

Free Trial Packages of a Wonderful New Discovery that Secretly Cures Tobacco and Cigarette Habit.

The engraving that accompanies this story is true to life. It is the stomach of a man addicted many years to the use of tobacco. If you are a user of tobacco in any form you will find that very rapidly your stomach is getting into the same condition. Tobacco causes ulcers to perforate the lining of the stomach. Tobacco poison is treacherous and you may think you have some organic trouble, inactive liver, weak kidneys, disordered stomach, or bowel complaint. Many have thought that they had acute asthma or even consumption—it was only the poison of tobacco that was killing them by inches as surely as any of the dread diseases of the lungs, liver or kidneys. Many a well man today thanks us for his health. They have used our cure for tobacco. If you have water brash, heartburn, a great thirst, shortness of breath, a sensation of extreme fullness after eating, that nothing but your after-dinner smoke will "settle," pains in your stomach or bowels, flutterings of the muscles of your arms or legs, or twitching of the eyelids, you may be very sure that tobacco poison is affecting your internal organs and that it is time to stop. If your skin is cloudy and your breathing irregular you are already in a dangerous condition, and if you do not stop the doctors will say, "another case of heart trouble." It is easy to quit tobacco, if you use our remedy. Thousands have been cured easily and permanently, with no bad after effects. Many a mother has cured her son of the cigarette habit. The remedy is odorless and tasteless, and any lady can secretly put it into the food, coffee, tea or milk of the tobacco user or the cigarette smoker and cure him permanently whether he wants to be cured or not. This wonderful cure for tobacco habit will be sent in trial packages free to all who send their name and address, by the Rogers Drug & Chemical Co., 2006 Fifth and Race sts., Cincinnati, Ohio. Write today.



A Healthy Stomach and a Stomach Ulcerated and Shrunken from Tobacco Poison.

Spring Ailments

Such as *Pimples, Boils, Eczema,* and other eruptions; *Loss of Appetite, Bilious Turns, Fits of Indigestion and Headache, That Tired Feeling and General Lassitude,* proceed from a vitiated condition of the blood, which is common in the Spring, and affects all the organs and tissues. It is a condition in which the blood circulates an accumulation of waste matters which litter the system and clog its processes.

You have one or more of these Spring Ailments yourself, or you are one of the rare exceptions to the rule.

It is at least a fair assumption that you, like most people, need to purify your blood this Spring.

Now, what will you take?—what may do the work, or what will do it? Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills will do it.

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Fulfills, as physicians say, all the indications of Spring Ailments—that is, meets all their requirements—purifying the blood and so acting on the organs of digestion and secretion as to make the effects on the blood permanent, and restore healthy functional activity to the whole system.

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GOING TO MANILA TO WED

Iowa Girl Will Cross the Sea to Marry Her Volunteer Soldier Lover.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CRESTON, Io., April 6.—Miss Clara Stanchfield, who went to San Francisco to await the arrival of her lover, Capt. Warren H. Ichis of the Thirty-sixth Regiment, United States army, will soon sail for Manila to marry him. He cabled her to come to him, as he had decided to remain in the Philippines.

When the Thirty-sixth started homeward, Capt. Ichis expected to return, but Gen. Bell persuaded him to remain and take a position as title examiner for the government. Since being in the Philippines Capt. Ichis has been judge advocte general.

Miss Stanchfield is a beautiful and accomplished lady, and a graduate of the Creston High School.

GIRL'S PARENTS IMPLICATED.

Miss Cottingham's Death Due to Criminal Operation.

PEORIA, Ill., April 6.—Miss Nella Cottingham of Tremont, Ill., died at the Deaconess Hospital in this city last Friday, and it is discovered that she was the victim of a criminal operation.

The scandal, so far as unearthed by Coroner Harper's investigation, involves two prominent Peoria physicians, while many persons, including the girl's parents and certain hospital authorities, will be brought into the case as accessories after the fact.

The story, as told by Coroner Harper, is to the effect that the girl's mother brought her to Peoria early in February, her father having previously made the arrangements. She was taken to a doctor's office and there treated and operated upon. Her mother remained with her as nurse. Later the girl's condition became extremely serious and she, on March 6, was removed to the Deaconess Hospital, where she died. The body was taken from Peoria to Tremont in the dead of night and buried there.

STEPHEN MOREHOUSE DEAD.

MARYVILLE, Mo., April 6.—Stephen Morehouse, brother of the late A. P. Morehouse, once governor of Missouri, was found dead in his chair this morning at his home in this city. An inquest was held at once. The verdict was that Mr. Morehouse died from rheumatism of the heart.

A. P. Morehouse, who, as lieutenant-governor, succeeded Gov. Marmaduke when the latter died, committed suicide shortly after his retirement from the office of governor.

COURT MARSHAL DISMISSED.

Kaiser Says He Gave Out Distorted Versions of Utterances.

BERLIN, April 6.—Emperor William's court marshal, Baron von Egloffstein, has been dismissed in disgrace. The Kaiser attributes to him the communication to the press of several recent versions of his majesty's public utterances, that are said to have been distorted.

GOV. ALLEN WILL CONTINUE.

The President Has Requested That He Do Not Resign.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—Gov. Allen of Porto Rico, after an hour's conference with the President today, announced that he would return to Porto Rico about May 1. He will continue as governor of the island at the request of the President.

Will Have a Flag Raising.

The scholars and patrons of the Humboldt School will hold a flag-raising celebration under the auspices of the Humboldt School Patrons' Association on Easter Monday, April 8, at 2:30 p. m., at the school house at Third street and Russell avenue.

Speeches will be made by Judge John A. Harrison, President of the board of Education; Judge Leo Rassieur; Louis Soldan, Superintendent of Public Schools; W. Ittner, Commissioner of Buildings of Board of Education; Dr. A. Fuhrmann and others. Songs and recitations will be given by the children.

Col. Hassendeubel Post No. 13, G. A. R., will meet at 1 o'clock at No. 2404 Bismarck street, and will march under escort of a band of music to the school to participate in the celebration.

MAY GOELETON YACHT' BRIDGE

Rubber Coated She Braved the Rough Weather, for She Now Is Sailing the Nahma.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.

(Copyright, 1901.)

PARIS, April 6.—Miss May Goelet is going through a regular training aboard her mother's yacht, the Nahma, whose second officer is now specially detailed to the duty of instructing her.

When the Goelet boat left Monaco a week ago Miss May took complete charge as sailing master. Passing Mentone she insisted upon making the harbor and anchored right in the midst of the crowded shipping without a pilot, for which the Nahma was fined heavily.

At Mentone the Goelet party, being denied admittance aboard James Gordon Bennett's magnificent new boat, the Namouna, Miss Goelet telegraphed to the owner, who is now at his beautiful villa. Mr. Bennett wired back a permit. Miss Goelet suggested that several of the Namouna's good points be noted, to be copied in a steam vessel she intends to order from the Cramps later. She took Mrs. Goelet's party to Liverna. Returning to Cannes two days later the Nahma met rough weather and Miss Goelet spent the whole night on the yacht's bridge, rubber-coated, like the officer who stood the watch with her for safety.

MR. SPRAGUE SAYS

Strawberries at 10c, on sale Monday, April 8, at the Delicatessen Lunch Room counters.

BIDS ON GOVERNMENT CLAIM.

To Be Received June 9 on Sioux City and Pacific Debt.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—Within a day or two the government will announce that it will receive bids for its claim against the Sioux City & Pacific Railroad, which amounts to something over $4,000,000 in principal and interest.

The act of June 6, 1900, designated the secretary of the treasury, the attorney-general and the secretary of the interior as a commission to dispose of the government's claim against this road, and an agreement has been reached to receive bids June 9, 1901, at noon, in the office of the solicitor of the treasury, the upset price being $1,852,000.

The government's claim is subject to a first mortgage of $1,628,000. The terms of this sale are a deposit of $100,000 with each bid, to be forfeited if it is not made good, the balance in cash to be paid within 20 days.

IT IS IMPORTANT

To Know What You are Taking When Using Catarrh Medicines.

Catarrh is the short route to consumption, and the importance of early and judicious treatment of catarrh, whether located in the head, throat or bronchial tubes, cannot be too strongly emphasized.

The list of catarrh cures is as long as the moral law and the forms in which they are administered, numerous and confusing, from sprays, inhalers, washes, ointments and salves to powders, liquids and tablets.

The tablet form is undoubtedly the most convenient and most effective, but with nearly all advertised catarrh remedies it is almost entirely a matter of guess work as to what you are taking into your system, as the proprietors, while making all sorts of claims as to what their medicines will do, always keep it a close secret as to what they are.

The success and popularity of the new catarrh cure, Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, is largely because it not only cures catarrh but because catarrh sufferers who used these tablets know what they are taking into their systems. Stuart's Catarrh Tablets being composed of Eucalyptol, Hydrastin, Guaicol and similar valuable and antiseptic ingredients, and are pleasant to the taste and being dissolved in the mouth they take immediate effect upon the mucous lining of the throat, nasal passages and whole respiratory tract.

The cures that Stuart's Catarrh Tablets have accomplished in old chronic cases of catarrh are little short of remarkable, and the advantage of knowing what you are putting into your stomach is of paramount importance when it is remembered that the cocaine or morphine habit has been frequently contracted as the result of using secret catarrh remedies.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets meet with cordial approval from physicians, because their antiseptic character render them perfectly safe for the general public to use and their composition makes them a common sense cure for all forms of catarrhal troubles.

All druggists sell them at 50 cents for full sized packages.

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We offer a free railroad ticket to and from the Exposition at Buffalo with a week's expenses to one person from every state and territory in the union who sends us the nearest correct guess received from his state or territory. Forty-nine people will go to the Pan-American Exposition as our guests. Forty-nine people will stay in Buffalo one week at our expense. The guess we ask you to make is absolutely free. The only stipulation is that you be a subscriber to "THE NATIONAL MAGAZINE," which costs but $1.00 per year and is the most up-to-date 100-page magazine published.

Remember that this competition, including the FREE trip to the Exposition and expenses for one week, is only for subscribers to The National Magazine. But, on the payment of $1.00 for one year's subscription you are entitled to enter the competition with one guess; 2 subscriptions entitle you you to 2 guesses, 3 subscriptions to 3 guesses, and so on. You can subscribe for your friend, sending us $1.00 for each subscription and one guess for each $1.00 enclosed with names and addresses of those to whom magazines are to be sent. Look up the attendance at the Columbian and Paris Expositions on July 4th, and make your estimates carefully. *All Guesses must be in our office on or before June 15th next.*

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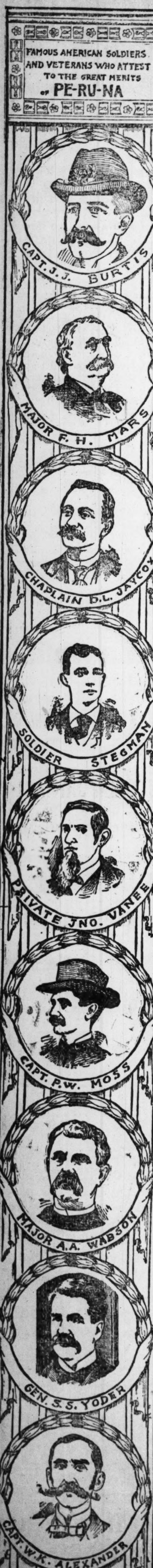


Captain Burtis Recovers.

Captain J. J. Burtis, captain of Co. A, 20th Ohio Volunteers, writes from 534 Lincoln av., Chicago, Ill., as follows:

"I know by experience that Peruna is a wonderful medicine for kidney troubles. I suffered for years with bladder and kidney trouble, nothing helped me except temporarily, but when a friend told me of Peruna I felt at once that I had found something which could cure me. Relief came soon and I was entirely cured in a very short time and have had no trouble since. I keep it in the house and take some occasionally as it prevents my catching cold."—J. J. Burtis.

Major Mars Is Strong Again.

Maj. T. H. Mars of the First Wisconsin Cavalry regiment, writes from 1425 Dunning street, Chicago, Ill., the following letter:

"For years I suffered with catarrh of the kidneys contracted in the army. Medicine did not help me any until a comrade who had been helped by Peruna advised me to try it. I bought some at once, and soon found blessed relief. I kept taking it for four months, and I am now well and strong and feel better than I have done for the past twenty years, thanks to Peruna."—T. H. Mars.

Chaplain Jaycox Finds Relief at Last.

Hon. D. L. Jaycox, Chaplain of the Grand Army of the Republic, writes from 865 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.:

"I contracted severe bladder and kidney trouble, spent hundreds of dollars and consulted a host of doctors, but neither did me any good.

"I bought a bottle of Peruna on the advice of some comrades who had been cured by it; after using it four months, my pains are gone, and I believe myself to be cured. I feel well and would not be without a bottle in time of need for ten times its cost."—D. L. Jaycox.

Soldier Stegman's Narrow Escape.

William Stegman of 430 Washington st., Appleton, Wis., writes as follows:

"Gentlemen—After returning from Cuba I felt my health was considerably broken down. Standing in water for days in the trenches affected my lungs until the doctor said I had quick consumption. My mother advised me to use Peruna, and in three months my lungs were as well as ever.

"I have arranged to take some Peruna with me to the Philippines, as I consider it indispensable to maintain my health in the unfavorable climate."—William Stegman.

Private Vance Still Improving.

Mr. John Vance, member of Company I, 71st Ohio Infantry, First Brigade, Second Division, Fourth Army Corps, who lives at Hartford City, Ind., in a letter dated June 7, 1899, says: "My kidney trouble is much better. I have improved so much that everybody wants to know what medicine I am using. I recommend Peruna to everybody and some have commenced to use it. The folks all say that if Dr. Hartman's medicine cures me it must be great." In a later letter he says: "I am still improving in health; people call me well now. I am still using your medicine."—John Vance.

Captain Moss Restored to Health.

Percy W. Moss, late captain Company D, 2d Arkansas Volunteers, writes from Paragould, Ark., the following letter to Dr. Hartman:

"It is with great pleasure that I write you of my success with Peruna. I think it undoubtedly the finest and surest catarrh cure ever prepared and it has taken but two bottles to convince me of this fact.

"I also find it a very good spring tonic and will readily recommend it at any time."—Percy W. Moss.

Major Mabson's Grateful Cure.

Major Algernon A. Mabson of the Tenth Volunteer Regiment, stationed at Macon, Ga., in a recent letter to Dr. Hartman from Washington, D. C., has the following to say in regard to Peruna:

"I think there is no better medicine on earth than your Peruna for catarrh. It has surely cured me. It would take a volume to tell you all the good it has done me. Peruna is the greatest remedy ever prepared, and I think I have tried them all."—A. A. Mabson.

Gen. Yoder's Gratitude for Pe-ru-na.

General S. S. Yoder, ex-Member of Congress from Lima, O., in a recent letter to Dr. Hartman, speaks of Peruna as follows:

"I desire to say that I have found Peruna to be a wonderful remedy. I have only used it for a short time and am thoroughly satisfied in regard to its merits. I cannot find words to express my gratitude for the good results obtained from its use. As a catarrh cure I shall gladly recommend it to all sufferers."—S. S. Yoder.

Captain Alexander's Restoration.

Wm. K. Alexander, Captain and Quartermaster, writes the following from Lynchburg, Va.:

"You cannot imagine how much better I feel since I commenced taking your remedy Peruna one week ago. I hardly know how to thank you for this great treatment. I had suffered continuously from the effects of malarial fever before taking Peruna. Should I at any future time have occasion to recommend a treatment of your kind, rest assured that yours will be the one."—Wm. K. Alexander.

No Other Catarrh Remedy Has Ever Received Such Great Popular Endorsements.

Gen. Powell Completely Restored.

General W. H. Powell, Department Commander of Hecker Post No. 443, Belleville, Ill., writes:

"Following a severe attack of la grippe in 1890 I have suffered greatly and continuously from a constantly increasing stubborn case of catarrh of the head and stomach. All prescribed remedies failing to yield permanent relief, I was induced to try Peruna, and began its use in August, 1899. In using one bottle I became convinced of its curative qualities, and continued its use to date. All symptoms of catarrh have disappeared, yet I continue its moderate use as a preventive, and an old man's tonic."—W. H. Powell.

Serg't Taylor was a Friend of Peruna.

Sergeant Buck Taylor was one of the famous Rough Riders, and is a personal friend of Governor Roosevelt of New York. He accompanied Governor Roosevelt on his great stumping tour through upper New York State. He was promoted through gallantry in the field during the late war.

The sergeant had the following to say of Peruna: "I think there is no better medicine on earth than Peruna, for catarrh. It has cured me. It would take a volume to tell you of all the good it has done me. Peruna is the best catarrh cure on earth, and I know, for I have tried nearly all of them."—Buck F. Taylor.

Capt. Guse Keeps Well by Peruna.

Captain Paul R. Guse, Co. C, Thirty-ninth Volunteer Infantry, writes from 409 Lincoln avenue, Chicago, Ill.:

"Several times after contracting severe colds I have been quickly relieved by the use of Peruna. I especially recommend it also as the best preventive of colds I know of. By taking a few doses a week it keeps me in a fine, healthful condition."—Paul R. Guse.

Veteran Brock a Centenarian.

Mr. Isaac Brock, born before the United States was formed, saw 22 Presidents elected. He is a veteran of four wars. Shod a horse when 99 years old. Of Peruna he says:

"During my long life I have known a great many remedies for coughs, colds, catarrh and diarrhoea. I had always supposed these affections to be different diseases, but on reading Dr. Hartman's books I found that these affections are the same and that they are properly called catarrh.

"I had several long sieges with the grip. At first I did not know that Peruna was a remedy for this disease. When I heard that la grippe was epidemic catarrh, I tried Peruna for la grippe and found it to be just the thing.

"As for Dr. Hartman's remedy, Peruna, I have found it to be the best, if not the only, reliable remedy for these affections. It has been my standby for many years, and I attribute my good health and extreme old age to this remedy."—Isaac Brock.

General Wright Eulogizes Peruna.

General Marcus Wright, 1724 Corcoran street, Washington, D. C., a prominent Confederate General, who is in charge of getting up the records of the War of the Rebellion, has the following to say in regard to Peruna:

"I take pleasure in recommending Peruna. It is a remarkable medicine and should be used by persons who are in need of a good tonic and by sufferers from catarrh."—Marcus Wright.

Major General Joseph Wheeler, commanding the cavalry forces in front of Santiago, says:

"I join with Senators Sullivan, Roach and McEnery in their good opinion of Peruna. It is recommended to me by those who have used it as an excellent tonic, and particularly effective as a cure for catarrh."

General W. W. Duffield, General in the Mexican war and General of the Union army in the late Civil war, in a letter written from "The Cairo," Washington, D. C., says the following of Peruna:

"I have used Peruna in my family and have found it a valuable medicine, and take pleasure in recommending it to all who suffer from catarrh of the stomach, or who require a tonic of efficiency."

General James Longstreet, of Gainesville, Ga., writes as follows in regard to Peruna:

"I join with my comrade, General Wheeler, in testifying to the merits of Peruna, both as a tonic and a catarrh remedy. Peruna enjoys the greatest reputation as a catarrh remedy of any medicine yet devised."

GEN. JAMES LONGSTREET

Soldier Friebertshauser Made a New Man.

"A comrade whose kidneys had been cured through the use of Peruna advised me to use it. I found that the first bottle relieved me, and after the faithful use of eight bottles I was a new and happy man. I have not had an ache or pain for over a year now."—John Friebertshauser.

Matron Smith Uses Peruna in Hospital

A letter from Mrs. T. B. Smith, Hospital Matron of the Omaha Barracks, written from 2327 N. Clark street, Chicago, Ill., reads as follows:

"Peruna seemed to be the favorite tonic among the soldiers at the barracks. If they were weak or convalescent after an illness it would build them up and restore their strength in a very few days."—Mrs. T. B. Smith.

Major Creeine Escaped Consumption.

Major John Creeine of the Seventeenth Infantry writes from 495 Sheffield avenue, Chicago, Ill.:

"I recommend Peruna to all my friends as the most reliable remedy for catarrh on the market. I suffered for years with chronic catarrh of the lungs, contracted in the army. I spent hundreds of dollars without getting any benefit, and a few dollars for a dozen bottles of Peruna made me as strong and well as ever."—John Creeine.

Peruna The Soldier's Friend.

No wonder the American soldier is a friend of Peruna when such a renowned officer as General Wheeler gives Peruna his hearty indorsement. Everyone connected with the army and navy can have no reasonable doubt as to the merits of the remedy. No remedy ever yet devised has received such unstinted eulogy from so many renowned statesmen and military men as Peruna.

There is a natural reason for this. Peruna is a specific for catarrh, wherever located. It not only instantly cures acute catarrh, but even old cases of chronic catarrh vanish under its persistent use. The soldier is especially subject to catarrh in some form or phase. Exposed as he is to constant changes, subjected as he is to the vicissitudes of climate, wet and dry, night and day, he finds catarrh to be his most insidious and ever present foe. In field and barracks Peruna is equally efficacious. Taken in time, it will absolutely prevent catching cold. After the cold has become established Pe-ru-na will break it up quicker than any remedy known to man. Even after the cold has settled in some organ, Pe-ru-na can be relied upon to promptly dispel it.

This is why Peruna is so popular in the army and navy today. It is precisely the remedy that meets the particular ills to which this class of people are exposed. Our army and navy is the natural protection of our country; Peruna is the natural protection of the army and navy in the vicissitudes of climate and exposure.

The number of specific catarrh remedies is small indeed; the number of catarrh palliatives is legion. The effect of catarrh palliatives is often immediate, but always temporary; they never cure.

This kind of catarrh medicine includes sprays, snuffs, inhalants, gargles and local applications of all kinds. They seem to cure for awhile, but the disease is sure to return.

Maj. Hawks Gives Peruna Great Praise

Major E. S. Hawks writes the following letter to the Peruna Medicine Co., from Washington, D. C.:

"I take great pleasure in recommending Peruna as an excelent tonic. It has been recommended to me by influential people as an excellent remedy and should be in every man's household. It is particularly effective as a cure for catarrh in all its phases and stages."—E. S. Hawks.

Major Liddell Uses Peruna at Home.

Major J. M. Liddell, Major of the Fifth Immunes, recently ordered to the Philippines, and well known in Mississippi, has used Peruna in his family for years. He gives his opinion of this great catarrh remedy from several years' constant observation and personal use. He says:

"I have used Peruna for years and I know of no better medicine on the market. It is a grand tonic and should be used in every household. As a cure for catarrh I know of nothing better."—J. M. Liddell.

Colonel Joyce Cured by Peruna.

Colonel John A. Joyce, well known throughout the country as the "Soldier's poet," is an ardent friend to Peruna. He speaks of it in the following terms in a recent letter from Washington, D. C.:

"Gentlemen—I think there is no better medicine sold than your remedies for catarrh. They have cured me. It would take a volume to tell you the good they have done me. Peruna is the best remedy on earth for catarrh and I think I have tried nearly all of them."—John A. Joyce.

Captain Yarnell Benefited by Peruna.

Captain M. G. Yarnell, Post Commander Wm. Downs Post, No. 68, G. A. R., writes from 2322 Lincoln street, N. E., Washington, D. C., as follows concerning Peruna as a catarrh cure. He says:

"Your medicine, Peruna, I believe to be the best medicine for catarrh on the market. I have taken only a small amount, and can see very beneficial results. I shall continue its use and recommend it to my friends and comrades for all catarrhal affections."—W. G. Yarnell.

Paymaster Collier Recommends Peruna

One of the most responsible positions in the practical management of the United States Navy is the Paymaster's Office. Only men of great executive and clerical ability can fill such a position. Such a man is the Hon. William A. Collier, Assistant Paymaster of the United States Navy. In a recent letter of his to Dr. Hartman, he says:

"I have taken Peruna and take pleasure in recommending it to those needing a first-class tonic, feeling assured that it will do all that is claimed for it."—M. A. Collier.

Maj. Longstreet Finds Peruna Excellent

Major Robert L. Longstreet, who served in the late war with Spain, is the son of the great ex-Confederate General. Major Longstreet was mustered out in June, and he is now in Washington trying to get rid of the pernicious malarial fever which he contracted in Cuba. He found Peruna of benefit on his return to the United States, and says the following in regard to the great catarrh cure and tonic:

"I have taken Peruna as a tonic on my return from Cuban climate, and find it excellent."—Robert L. Longstreet.

Col. Hamilton Used Peruna in Spanish War.

Colonel A. L. Hamilton, late Colonel commanding the 7th O. V. I., writes the following letter to Dr. Hartman:

"I wish to say that my command used your Peruna very freely during our service in the Spanish-American war, and will say this, that if the War Department records are consulted you will find that the casualties in my regiment were less than any other regiment of the 2d Army Corps while at Camp Alger, Meade and Bushnell. The total deaths in my regiment during the seven months' service was seven out of a total number of 1400. I, of course, can't help but think that Peruna was a great benefit to my command."—A. L. Hamilton.

Major Armes Restored by Peruna.

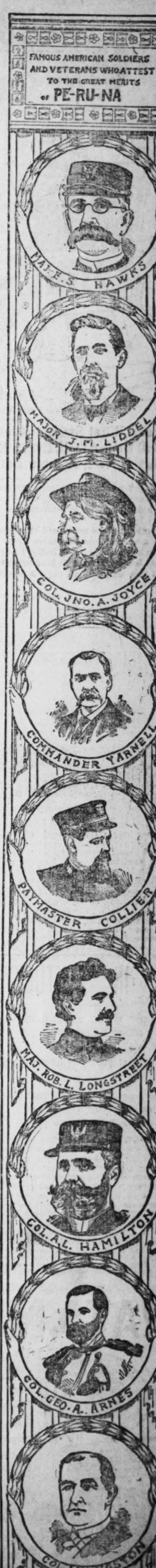
Major George Armes, U. S. A., retired, of Washington, D. C., has one of the most interesting and romantic histories, which, briefly stated, is as follows: At the age of 17 he was wounded while guiding a Union raid. At 18 he was congratulated publicly by Lincoln, and at 20 was made Brevet Major for gallantry. At 22 he stampeded a horde of Indians. At 23 was brevetted Lieutenant-Colonel. At the age of 25 he became a victim of official persecution. At the age of 50 he was a millionaire through his success in the real estate business in the city of Washington, D. C. At the age of 55 he heads an expedition to the Transvaal. In a recent letter written to The Peruna Medicine Company, Columbus, O., he says:

"Peruna cured me of indigestion and biliousness and I continued to take it and have found it an excellent tonic."—George Armes.

Colonel Livingston Endorses Peruna.

Col. L. I. Livingston, Washington, D. C., the leading Democratic member for the South, is on the Industrial Commission and is the leading Democratic member of the Committee on Appropriations in the House of Representatives, says:

"I take pleasure in joining with Gen. Wheeler, Congressman Brewer and others in recommending Peruna as an excellent tonic and a catarrh cure."—L. I. Livingston, Atlanta, Ga.



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"I had been suffering severely from kidney trouble. All symptoms were on hand; my former strength and power had left me; I could hardly drag myself along. Even my mental capacity was giving out, and often I wished to die. It was then I saw an advertisement of yours in a New York paper, but would not have paid any attention to it, had it not promised a sworn guarantee with every bottle of your medicine, asserting that your Swamp-Root is purely vegetable, and does not contain any harmful drugs. I am seventy years and four months old, and with a good conscience I can recommend Swamp-Root to all sufferers from kidney troubles. Four members of my family have been using Swamp-Root for four different kidney diseases, with the same good results."

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You may have a sample bottle of this famous kidney remedy, Swamp-Root, sent free by mail, postpaid, by which you may test its virtues for such disorders as kidney, bladder and uric acid diseases, poor digestion, when obliged to pass your water frequently night and day, smarting or irritation in passing, brick-dust or sediment in the urine, headache, backache, lame back, dizziness, sleeplessness, nervousness, heart disturbance due to bad kidney trouble, skin eruptions from bad blood, neuralgia, rheumatism, diabetes, bloating, irritability, wornout feeling, lack of ambition, loss of flesh, sallow complexion, or Bright's disease.

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OIL IN KENTUCKY

SOMERSET WELL BETTER THAN FIRST EXPECTED.

BIG RUSH OF PROSPECTORS

New Interest Awakened in That Section and Many New Leases Are Being Taken.

SOMERSET, Ky., April 6.—The oil well in Wayne County, recently struck by the Somerset Oil Co., has developed into a much finer well than first reported. It is now though the well will produce from 300 to 500 barrels a day and several hundred barrels of oil have been lost up to this time for want of tankage. Great excitement prevails in the Wayne County field and a number of prospectors from the West Virginia and Pennsylvania field, who own leases in Wayne and Clinton County, are now rushing to the field to develop their property. A large number of leases are held in Somerset and several new wells will be sunk by Somerset people within the next few weeks.

The well recently struck is in the southwestern corner of Wayne County, near the line of Clinton County, and also near the Tennessee line and borders on Fentress County, Tenn.

The Standard Oil Co. is extending its pipe line from Slick Ford, by the Sunny Brook well, into Tennessee. C. A. Sussner, manager of the National Trust Co. of this city, has charge of the Standard Oil business here and informed the Courier-Journal correspondent today that the Standard Oil Co. will be ready to receive shipments from the newly discovered territory within a week or two. The company is now hauling the pipe to Slick Ford in order to extend the Somerset and Slick Ford pipe line into Fentress County, Tenn.

Several oil companies are being organized and a wild state of excitement prevails.

Leases are being rapidly taken up and oil men are flocking to the territory from all parts of the ecountry. Somerset is the metropolis of the oil territory in southern Kentucky, as the pipe lines terminate at this place. The managers of the Somerset Oil Co. will give the new well a thorough test as soon as they can procure tanks in which to pump the oil.

An old and reputable oil man, in talking today of the Wayne and Pulaski County oil territory, said that in his opinion this field will immediately spring into prominence, and owing to the high quality of oil, will prove to be one of the richest fields in the United States. The Wayne and Pulaski County oil has often been tested, and its quality is well known to oil men, and a movement is on foot to erect an oil refinery at this place to refine the product.

Catholic Knights.—An entertainment will be given by St. Elizabeth Branch, No. 275, Catholic Knights of America, Wednesday evening, April 10, at Stolle's Hall, 1307 Biddle street.

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CONFEDERATES MEET IN MAY

Extensive Preparations for the Great Reunion.

MEMPHIS WILL BE READY

HAS RAISED $75,000 FOR VETERANS' ENTERTAINMENT.

Costly Amusement Features and Elaborate Parades Will Be Given and a General Good Time Is Anticipated.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 6.—In a few weeks all the preparations for the next grand meeting of the United Confederate Veterans, to be held in this city on May 28, 29 and 30, will be completed, and Memphis will take a short breathing spell before the crowds begin to pour into the city which, it is confidently estimated, will be swelled to twice its present population for the space of one week.

When the question of bringing the reunion here was agaitated, a finance committee was appointed for the purpose of raising necessary expenses, and although only $25,000 was at the onset asked for, the merchants and business men in general responded by handing the gross sum of $50,000 to Chairman Pickett of the committee and demanded that this reunion be made the largest and most satisfactory one ever held in the South. At a recent meeting Chairman Pickett promised an additional $25,000, which will place at the disposal of the executive committee the sum of $75,000. The general executive committee, consisting of the most representative men in the district, rapidly appointed subcommittees and in meetings characterized by growing enthusiasm extended their plans to such an extent that now the original expense fund has not only been trebled but preparations are in near completion to rereceive an estimated influx of visitors amounting to the number of 100,000. As the last census gave Memphis a population of 102,320, this will double the number of inhabitants during the week of the reunion.

Including the regular crowds of interested sightseers, over 10,000 old veterans will be accomodated free. An enormous commissary building will be erected on the high bluffs overlooking the Mississippi river and the plans for the additional erection of a mammoth state headquarters have been submitted. Handsome headquarters for the reunion committees have been located, and over twelve million readers are being reached each week through the efforts of the press committee. An enormous street flower parade, always the most attractive feature of any momentous gathering, has been arranged. It will be a mile in length. The location of the city on the Mississippi river immediately suggested the fact that a naval battle could easily be arranged, and this will also be a part of the many amusement features. The presence of the United States warship Bancroft, which has been ordered here by Secretary of War Long, will lend a substantial interest to this part of the entertainment, and with the additional provision of a grand fireworks display there will be a magnificent opportunity to enjoy these warlike spectacles from the extensive levee and high bluffs along the city front which are easily capable of accomodating over 100,000 spectators.

The idea of holding the reunion at Memphis has seemingly caught the approval of every one of the ex-Confederates. Memphis is in the center of the southern states, and is brimful of historic interest from the time that De Soto discovered the "Father of Waters" at this point to the time of the naval engagements and bombardments during the civil war. Nearly all of the great generals on both sides of the internecine conflict were engaged in or about western Tennessee and in the city itself are points of interest that will be viewed with pleasure by the thousands of old soldiers who will gather at the reunion next May.

The last day of the reunion will be known as "Forrest Day," and the exercises occurring on that date will be dedicated to the memory of Tennessee's famous cavalry hero, Lieutenant-General Bedford Forrest. Whole regiments are in active preparations to attend the reunion, and letters are now arriving hourly from detachments of veterans from all over the South telling of their plans to march on this city in a body and inquiring after accommodations. The information committee, four hundred strong, has canvassed the entire city twice in order to ascertain the number of rooms and sleeping apartments that can be obtained for the coming thousands and reports satisfactory progress.

In the department of the quartermaster-general equal activity is maintained. Letters are being received by that committee from planters and merchants all over the South offering donations of cattle, hogs, sheep, chickens, etc.

Like other reunions this one is veiled in a spirit of romance especially apparent. For, on the spot where they fought and bled thousands are comng together again, to meet on familiar ground. Boat excursions will be arranged to Fort Pickering and Fort Pillow, so that gray heads which are nodding at each other now in eager anticipation will be enabled to stand on the historic spots side by side where comrades of a decade ago left to journey far beyond them.

Anticipating a large increase in their business, practically all the railroads in the South have made special rates of 1 cent a mile, with the additional concession of extending the final limit of all tickets to June 30 upon payment of a deposit of 50 cents with the local joint agent.

The woman's work will be seen at every hand in the reunion. The Daughters of the Confederacy here have located their headquarters, which will afford a spacious resting place and general information bureau for over 2000 visitors of the fair sex. The number of maids of honor and sponsors will be gratifyingly large, as the generous policy heretofore pursued in their appointments will prevail in the Memphis reunion with additional enlargements. In the grand reunion thees ladies will participate in the picturesque Southern Cross procession, dressed in appropriate costume.

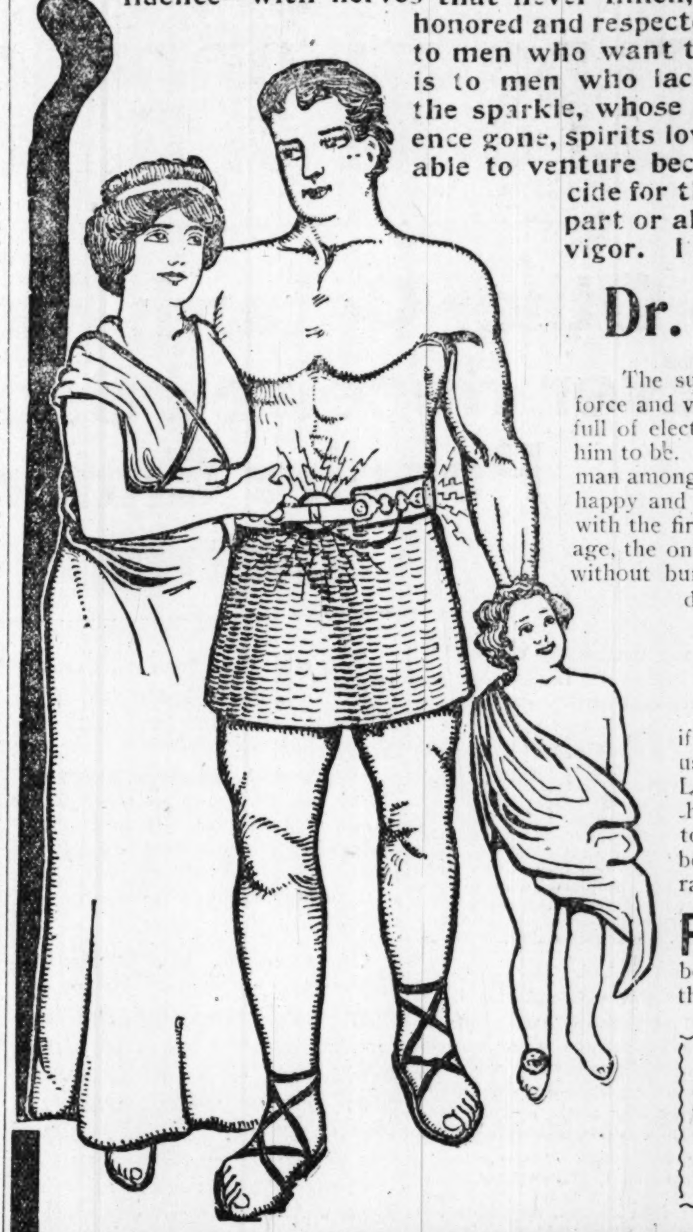
The work of the invitation committee, which was at first to send special invitations to only governors of states with their aides and staffs, has been extended to include the inviting of mayors of towns and cities, prominent and representative business men and planters throughout the South, who will all receive beautifully engraved cards asking them to come to Memphis as the guests of the city and the reunion proper. Thirty thousand badges have been ordered printed, beside a special one for President McKinley. Music lovers will be enable dto hear some of the most famous bands in the United States during the reunion and in general that part of the program will be adequately attended to.

The local police department under Chief of Police Jerome Richards, will be enlarged by extra squads of bluecoats and detectives from various southern cities, thus affording ample protection for the masses or the unsophisticated.

The Sons of Confederate Veterans' Association has signified its decision to attend the reunion in a body, and even a special and large delegation of ex-Confederate army surgeons are preparing to come to the grand event.

In general the rapidity and surety with which all these multitudinous plans are being made and executed shows that Memphis is on her mettle, and from being the aspirant for the metropolis of the South the entire city seems determined to do its utmost to make the reunion the landmark and criterion for all subsequent endeavors. The following list of the different committees, which embrace all the leading merchants, manufacturers, business and professional men in the city, will give an idea of the magnitude of the affair, as well as demonstrate the energy with which the work is being pushed forward:

Amusement committee, auditing committee, badge committee, commissary committee, decoration and illumination committee, entertainment committee, entertainment of general officers committee, executive committee, finance committee, hall for meeting veteran convention committee, halls for state organization committee, headquarters committee, horses, carriages, etc., committee, hotels and accommodations committee, information committee, invitation committee, ladies' committee, medical committee, military and encampment committee, music committee, parade and review committee, press committee, printing and advertising committee, reception committee, transportation committee.



MANLY VIGOR

In time of danger who is the man who, while others become panic stricken, leaps forward and becomes a hero? The manly man! Who is the man who, in the midst of business famine, pushes his enterprise through strife and trouble to success? The manly man! Who is the man who gains and holds the respect and esteem of his neighbors and associates in business? The manly man! This "manly man" is a man of courage, of strong heart, good health and self-confidence—with nerves that never flinch, muscles like bars of iron, a heart full of manly courage, honored and respected by all who know him. This is a message to men. It is to men who want to feel like men, to look like men and act like men. This is to men who lack courage, whose nerves are shaky, whose eyes have lost the sparkle, whose brains are muddled, ideas confused, sleep restless, confidence gone, spirits low and easily depressed, who are backward, hesitating, unable to venture because they are afraid of failure, who want somebody to decide for them, who are weak, puny, restless. It is to men who have part or all of these symptoms and want new life, new force, new vigor. I offer it to you in

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INSANE MAN ATTACKS FAMILY

S. H. Preston, Near Paris, Ill., Shot and Wounded His Wife and Tried To Kill His Children.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PARIS, Ill., April 6.—S. H. Preston, a well-to-do farmer, aged 53, became suddenly insane at his home, two miles south of this city, yesterday afternoon and attempted to murder his entire family.

He struck his wife several blows with his fist and then shot her as she lay prostrate on the floor. The woman struggled to her feet and ran to the home of a neighbor, where her injuries received attention. The bullet had taken effect in the left breast, but was deflected by a rib. The wound, though serious, is not likely to be fatal.

After the escape of his wife Preston snapped the revolver at three of his children, also turning it upon himself, but the cartridges were defective and failed to explode.

Officers from this city arrested him and placed him in jail here this evening. He expresses a determination to kill himself and is being closely watched. His mental derangement is attributed to long-continued ill health and optical trouble.

BUSTER GLASS FATALLY SHOT

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BARDWELL, Ky., April 6.—Sug Clark, a switchman on the Illinois Central Railroad, shot and fatally wounded Buster Glass, a negro, at Fort Jefferson, near here, last night.

The negro was in the act of throwing the switch when Clark ordered him to leave it alone. He struck at Clark with an iron bolt. Clark pulled a revolver and shot Glass in the neck.

HOOLEY'S GREAT COUP

HOW HE LANDED THE TRAFFORD ESTATE.

LETTERS FELL INTO HIS HANDS

Parties Were Haggling Over $50,000—He Forwarded a Check and Secured a Fine Bargain.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.
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LONDON, April 6.—Extraordinary revelations have just been made as to how Ernest Terah Hooley became the purchaser of the Trafford estate in Manchester in 1879.

For some time previous strictly confidential negotiations had been proceeding between the Trafford trustees and the Manchester corporation for the purchase of the estate by the latter. The negotiations had reached a critical point, when the corporation's lawyer came to London to see the trustees. He stayed at the Midland Hotel, where Hooley lived at the time.

The lawyer's name, Ellis, being the same as that of Hooley's secretary, papers relating to the transaction intended for Lawyer Ellis were delivered by error to Hooley's secretary. These papers showed that the estate was offered to the corporation for $1,750,000, but the corporation was haggling over $50,000.

Hooley instantly wrote to the trustees offering the full amount and inclosing a check for $150,000 to seal the bargain. The trustees gave the corporation a refusal of more time, saying they had a private offer for the amount asked. The corporation regarded the statement as a bluff and refused to advance their offer.

Hooley became the purchaser. He never heard of the Trafford estate until the papers fell into his secretary's hands. The corporation now wants to purchase the estate, and won't get it under $2,500,000.

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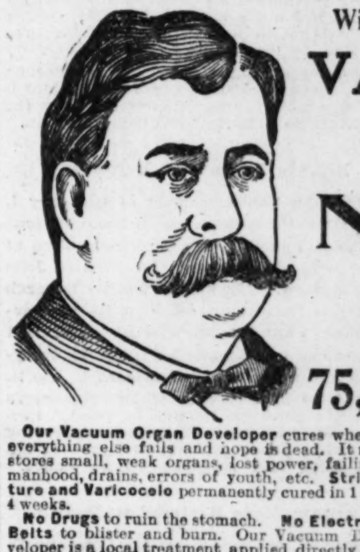

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STOCKHOLDERS MEETINGS.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—The undersigned incorporators hereby give notice that the first meeting of stockholders of the Commonwealth Trust Co. will be held Thursday, April 11, 1901, at 9 o'clock a. m., at the office of Charles H. Turner & Co., in the Wainwright building, in the city of St. Louis, Mo., for the purpose of adopting bylaws and of transacting such other business as may lawfully come before the meeting.

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MESSAGE FROM DOCTOR COOK

To All Men Who Suffer With Disease or Weakness Peculiar to Their Sex.

DOCTOR COOK.

I have a direct personal message to every man afflicted with VARICOCELE, STRICTURE, SPECIFIC BLOOD POISON, NERVO-SEXUAL DEBILITY or allied troubles and their reflex complications.

The attention of the layman is not solicited, but I want to talk especially with the man who has been taking treatment that does not cure. I want to talk with the man who has dosed himself with patent remedies or free trial samples. I want to talk with the man who has been using Belts, Secret Appliances, Electro-Medical Combinations or similar devices. I want to talk with the man who has sought in vain relief from other physicians, general or special.

If this has been your unhappy experience you are cordially invited to come to my office, where I will fully and freely explain to you why such treatment has not cured you, and where I will demonstrate to your entire satisfaction why I can cure you safely, quickly and permanently. My counsel is free, and my terms are reasonable and not more than you will be willing to pay for the benefits conferred. I will do by you as I would want you to do by me if our cases were reversed.

Certainty of cure is what you want. I can and will cite you, by permission, to scores of men whom I have recently cured and made happy, among them some of the most prominent and influential citizens of St. Louis and vicinity. What I have done for them, I can do for you.

I do not treat all diseases, but I treat men, MEN ONLY, and cure them to stay cured.

Varicocele

Whatever may be the cause of varicocele, its injurious effect is well known. It depresses the mind, weakens the body, racks the nervous system and ultimately leads to a complete loss of sexual power.

If you are a victim of this dire disease come to my office and let me explain to you my process of treating it. You will then not wonder why I have positively cured more than 700 cases of varicocele during the past twelve months.

Under my treatment the patient improves from the very beginning. All pain instantly ceases. Soreness and swelling quickly subsides. The pools of stagnant blood are forced from the dilated veins, which rapidly assume their normal size, strength and soundness. All indications of disease and weakness vanish completely, and in their stead come the pride, the power and the pleasures of perfect health and restored manhood.

Stricture

It matters not how long you have suffered from stricture nor how many different doctors have disappointed you. I will cure you just as certainly as you come to me for treatment.

I will not do it by cutting, dilating or by any form of surgery.

My treatment is new, entirely original with me, and perfectly painless. It completely dissolves the stricture and permanently removes every obstruction from the urinary passage. It stops every unnatural discharge, allays all inflammation, reduces the prostate glands when enlarged, cleanses and heals the bladder and kidneys when irritated or congested, invigorates the sexual organs, and restores health and soundness to every part of the body affected by the disease.

Specific Blood Poison

On account of its frightful hideousness specific or contagious poison in the blood is commonly called the king of all venereal diseases. It may be either hereditary or contracted.

Once the system is tainted with it, the disease may manifest itself in the form of scrofula, eczema, rheumatic pains stiff or swollen joints, eruptions or copper colored spots on face or body, little ulcers in mouth or on the tongue, sore throat, swollen tonsils, falling out of the hair or eyebrows, and finally a leprouslike decay of the flesh and bone.

If you have any of these or similar symptoms you are cordially invited to consult me immediately. If I find your fears are unfounded, I will quickly unburden your mind. But if your constitution is infected with virus I will tell you so frankly and show you how to get rid of it.

My special treatment for this disease is practically the result of my life work and is indorsed by the best physicians of America and Europe. It contains no dangerous drugs or injurious medicines of any kind. It goes to the very bottom of the disease and forces out every particle of impurity. Soon every sign and symptom disappear completely and forever. The blood, the tissue, the flesh, the bones and the whole system are cleansed, purified and restored to perfect health and the patient prepared anew for the duties and pleasures of life.

Nervo-Sexual Debility

Men, many of you are now reaping the result of your former folly. Your manhood is failing, and will soon be lost unless you do something for yourself.

There is no time to lose. Impotency, like all sexual diseases, is never on the standstill. With it you can make no compromise. Either you must master it or it will master you and fill your whole future with misery and indescribable woe.

I have treated so many cases of this kind that I am as familiar with them as you are with the very daylight.

Once cured by me, you will never again be bothered with emissions, drains, prematureness, small or weak organs, nervousness, failing memory, loss of ambition or other symptoms which rob you of your manhood and absolutely unfit you for study, business, pleasure or marriage.

My treatment for weak men will correct all these evils, and restore you to what nature intended—a hale, healthy, happy man, with physical, mental and sexual powers complete.

Reflex Diseases

In curing an ailment of any kind I never fail to remove all reflex complications or associate diseases.

If the case is Varicocele, the weakness caused by it disappears.

If it is Stricture and has developed into Prostatic, Bladder or Kidney affections, the injured organs are all restored to a perfectly healthful condition.

If it is Specific Blood Poison, any and all Skin, Blood and Bone Diseases arising from the taint are entirely and permanently eliminated from the system.

If it is Impotency the many distressing symptoms following in its train and indicating a premature decline of physical, mental and sexual power are totally removed and rapidly replaced by the youthful energy of robust manhood.

Hence all resulting ills and reflex complications, which may be properly termed associate diseases, and which, in fact, are often more serious than the original ailment, that gives rise to them—all, I say, disappear completely and forever with the cure of the main malady.

Correspondence

Most cases can be treated successfully at home. One personal visit is preferred, but if it is impossible or inconvenient for you to call at my office, write me a full and unreserved history of your case, plainly stating your symptoms. I have the most perfect system of home treatment known to medical science.

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Pyramid Pile Cure Cures Them So They Stay Cured.

At least one-fourth of all mankind are afflicted to a greater or less degree with piles.

Very often the disease is of irregular recurrence. Maybe the trouble comes only once or twice a year. Even so, it unfits a man for business while it lasts. seems like a little thing, but it produces more bad feelings than even serious sickness would. In severe cases there is no comfort attainable. Various salves and ointments afford temporary relief, but in a few minutes the pain returns. Each attack is a little bit worse than the last one. Itching is followed by bleeding and protrusion. Fistula follows—surgical treatment—death possibly. And all this can be avoided.

The discovery of Pyramid Pile Cure has made suffering unnecessary, even foolish. By its use relief is instantaneous. It soothes the inflamed parts, heals the broken membranes, reduces the swelling and brings comfort at once.

The cure is permament and the trouble will not return unless new conditions arise which produce an entirely new case. This, of course, cannot be helped, but if you will use Pyramid Cure immediately on the appearance of the first symptom, the trouble will vanish.

Druggists sell and recommend Pyramid Pile Cure. There may be some who do not have it, in which case you can get it yourself from the makers, the Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich. The price is 50 cents per package.

MR. CLARKE INSTALLED.

Has an Office as Factory Inspector, but Needs Furniture.

A young man with a stepladder, a pot of paint and a brush was busy in the corridors of the City Hall Saturday adding the name of the factory inspector to the list of municipal offices on the boards posted in the hallways on each floor. Room 235 was given as the location of the new office.

Room 235 has been used as part of the mayor's office since the new City Hall has been occupied. During the session of the state Senate Lexow committee the room was used by that body.

Inspector Pat Clarke sat behind a long table in the office Saturday morning. "We're going to have some more furniture here in a couple of days," he remarked. "I will appoint my office force, two deputies and a clerk, before Mayor Ziegenhein's term expires, and then I expect to lock the door into the mayor's office and have the room for the sole use of the factory inspection department. I don't think the new mayor will mind the loss of the room from his office, as it has never been anything but a loafing place for janitors."

Mr. Clarke's plans depend on an appropriation for the new Municipal Assembly. He received an appropriation of $750 for salaries and office expenses up to the close of the fiscal year, but this will have been exhausted by the time the office has been furnished.

LAST DICKENS INN.

The Blackbull to Be Torn Down After 300 Years of Use.

LONDON, April 6.—The Blackbull Inn, the last of the ancient hostelries in Holborn, is to be pulled down. It was here that Dickens laid the scene of the nursing experiences of Mrs. Gamp and Betsy Prig, and where the immortal Sairey perpetrated so many of her historic expressions. After standing for over 300 years it is now to make way for modern buildings which will soon replace all the old haunts so dear to Dickens.

Cures Drunkards Secretly

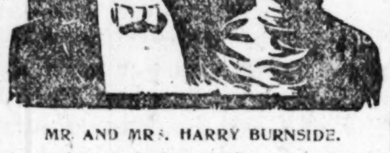
Free Package of the Only Successful Cure Known for Drunkenness Sent to All Who Send Name and Address.

It Can be Put Secretly Into Food or Coffee and Quickly Cures the Drink Habit.

With this grand discovery many a wife, sister or daughter has saved a loved one from the curse of habitual drunkenness.

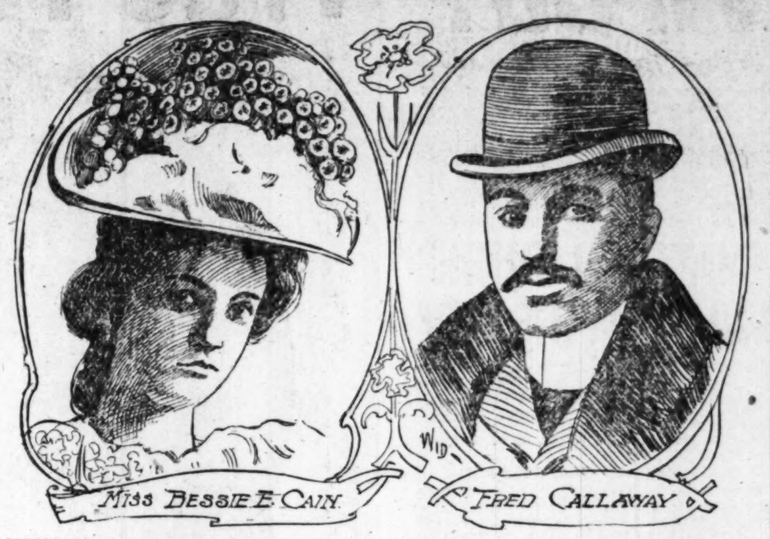
Is your life clouded and your home made unhappy by the curse of drink? Is one of your loved ones a slave to the awful habit? You can secretly save him from a drunkard's grave to a life of health, honor and happiness. Few men become drunkards from choice or inclination—all would welcome release from the awful habit. Golden Specific will cure the worst habitual drunkard. This wonderful remedy can be administered by wife or daughter, in food, tea, coffee or milk, without causing the slightest suspicion, and its good effects will be seen quickly, its cure will be permanent, and without harmful results to the system. Many a home is made happy by the use of Golden Specific. Many a crime has been averted by this boon to womankind. "My husband worked nights and got into a habit of taking a drink with the boys on his way home in the morning," says Mrs. Harry Burnside of Jonesborough. "After awhile it was two drinks, and then he came home drunk frequently. He soon lost his position and I had to make a living for both of us and the little children. He became abusive as the habit grew on him, and many times I was black and blue from his blows. At times he tried to sober up, but the habit was too strong for him and work was hard to find after he lost his place; then he would drink harder than ever. I heard of Golden Specific and sent for a free package. The treatment cured him. I put it in his coffee and he never knew it at all until the work was done. Then he was as glad as I. He regained his old position and now we are happy in our little home again. I can hardly tell you how grateful I am, and I hope you will be able to send your Golden Specific to every woman that has suffered as I have, and help her save her loved ones from the drunkard's grave."

Send your name and address to Dr. J. W. Haines, 583 Glenn Bldg., Cincinnati, O., and he will mail you a free package of Golden Specific in a plain wrapper, accompanied by full directions how to use it and testimonials from hundreds of grateful men and women whose life has been made happy by the use of Golden Specific. Enough of the remedy is sent in each free package to show how to use it, and to give you an opportunity to witness for yourself its marvelous effect for good on those who are slaves to drink. Do not delay. You cannot tell what may happen to the man who drinks. He may kill or be killed, and then you would never forgive yourself for waiting.



MR. AND MRS. HARRY BURNSIDE.

A MOUNTAIN ROMANCE OUT OF THE ORDINARY RUN OF TALES



KOKOMO, Ind., April 6.—Miss Bessie Cain, a Kokomo girl, figures in a romance of more than ordinary interest. Some months ago the Cain family moved to Cripple Creek, Colo., and among the mining camps and mountaineers Miss Cain became known as the "Mountain Maid." She is 17, comely, and talented. While roaming in the mountains she met, by chance, a young college student, Fred Callaway, who had been given a year for field work in engineering and geology, and had taken the Cripple Creek district for his studies. Callaway is a son of W. R. Callaway, a magnate of the Sioux City road and a nephew of S. R. Callaway, president of the New York Central Railway.

The accidental meeting resulted in mutual admiration. Callaway's parents, who live in Minneapolis, went to Cripple Creek a week ago and found him dangerously injured by falling into a "prospecting hole," and Miss Cain acting as his nurse. The parents, not aware of the relations between patient and nurse, fell in love with the girl themselves, and insisted on her returning with them to their Minneapolis home as their own daughter. Young Callaway then explained that he had already asked the pretty "Mountain Maid" to become their daughter, and that she had consented to be his wife. The delighted parents returned home with the future daughter-in-law, and the latter will live with them a year until the son completes his university course. Young Callaway is 18 years old. A good railway position for the young man awaits the graduation and wedding. He is attending the Minnesota State University.

STORY OF LE FLORE

INTERESTING CASE BEFORE THE MISSISSIPPI COURT.

A HALF-BREED INDIAN CHIEF

The Question Is Whether or Not He Meant to Entail the Great Estate He Left.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CANTON, Miss., April 6.—An interesting case has just been called before the Supreme court of Mississippi. The issue hangs upon the construction of the will of the late Greenwood Le Flore, the half-breed Choctaw chief, one of the most picturesque characters in the history of Mississippi. The property in question is rich bottom land in Carroll County to the amount of 5000 acres, valued at $40,000, being situated near Malmaison, the princely home of the old chief, where, with costly furniture, imported from Europe, with other relics and associations the place is one of the most interesting in Mississippi. At the time the will was probated, in 1865, Greenwood was worth over half a million, partially inherited from his father, Louis Le Flore, and increased by his own frugality and masterly management. The land in litigation is part of this inheritance.

The case is an interesting one, apart from its connection with an Indian chief and Mississippi lawmaker. On the fifth clause depends the question whether Greenwood Le Flore meant to entail the estate or not. The land was left to two grandsons, John B. Halsey and G. L. Halsey, on certain conditions. The property was left them jointly; if either were to die before the other the property was to go to the survivor, and in the event that both should die without issue other grandchildren mentioned in the will should come in for the inheritance.

The two Halsey grandsons mortgaged the property heavily. John Halsey had four children, his brother had none. The two grandsons died last year and the children immediately entered suit to set aside the mortgage, on the ground that the father and uncle had only a life interest and no right to encumber the property. In the lower court the mortgagee was successful and the great grandchildren of Greenwood Le Flore appealed to the supreme court. Judge Coleman of Greenwood is for the appellants and Judge Prane and Marcus Askew for the appellees.

There are many descendants of Greenwood Le Flore in this county, Madison, and it is only a few years since that Mrs. Robert Travis left for Indian Territory to take up the claim allowed on her Choctow blood.

The history of Greenwood Le Flore and his father, Louis, are very closely intwined with the early history of Mississippi. The combined ages of the two run back over 125 years of its most important development, almost the time when Iberville led the French movement in the direction of Mississippi. It was really the straggling end of this expedition which set out from the shores of the St. Lawrence which eventually landed one Louis Le Flore (father of Greenwood) within the precincts of this territory. No gayer, shrewder or more indomitable swordsman, fur trader or whatever he might have been, found a home within Mississippi's limits. In his youth he danced and laughed in the Canadian shores, winning from his simple companions the soubriquet of Le Fleur, "the flower of the fete" they meant, a name which has clung to his descendants and which this state now commemorates in a county of that name, Le Flore, a corruption of Le Fleur. Such was Le Fleur's boyhood, but his manhood was given to the life of the time in the Mississippi.

Half savage, half civilized, he spent his days and weeks like the Indian hunter on the trail of his game, but ever with the financier's eye to some successful end.

In time the charms of an Indian maiden wound themselves around the heart of the Frenchman, and he took unto himself a high-born Choctaw girl, and to her heir fell the chieftainship of the tribe. This heir was Greenwood le Fleur.

This boy was a stern, straight-browed lad, reticent, alert and consumed with ambition. At a suitable age the father sent Greenwood to Nashville for an education, and almost immediately on his return he was installed as chief of the Choctaws. Here he displayed his great ability. Having the confidence of his people, he used it to the utmost. A reformer in every sense, he utilized his power to establish new laws and schools; trial by jury in case of murder, contrary to the Indian custom of life for life; he prohibited the sale of liquor and pushed the Choctaws forward with all the energy of a nineteenth century progressionist. He would no doubt have raised his Indians to a high state of civilization but for the passage of the bill by the United States abolishing the Choctaw nation as a tribe and stripping these people of their Mississippi possessions.

It was at this point that Greenwood Le Fleur's whole influence was swung around to the side of the white man. He urged his people to yield up the sacred soil of their dead and emigrate to Indian Territory.

Betrayed, as the Choctaws believed themselves, nothing could move them from their natural home but the threat of destruction by the United States troops.

Greenwood Le Fleur had lost his influence, but he remained upon the grant allowed him by the United States, and set about managing his father's fortune and seeking offices among his American half brothers. The stories of his elegance and hospitality are no mere tradition; the ruling people were his people, and before many years they honored him with a seat in the Senate, gave his first name to a county seat and his last name to a county.

Euchre and Lunch.—The ladies of the St. Vincent de Paul's Altar Society will give a euchre and lunch Tuesday evening, April 9, at the Y. M. S. club rooms.

FIGHT FOR A CHILD

THE MOTHER, THOUGH UNWORTHY, SEEKS TO RECOVER HER.

HAD ONCE GIVEN HER AWAY

A Story of Real Life That Reads Like a Chapter From a Romance.

ROME, Ga., April 6.—Rome is the background for a story of real life that reads like romance. A woman betrayed, a beautiful baby girl child given to people unworthy to foster her, long court proceedings, order to turn child over to court, kidnaping and arrest are some of the features of a case that has aroused deepest interest here.

Some six years ago Leslie Whitener, a very handsome girl living in North Rome, gave birth to a girl. She claimed that she had been married to a man named Pritchard, who had deserted her, but gossip said a prominent young Roman was the father. The girl child was named Mamie Lillian Pritchard.

The infant was given by the mother to W. D. and Minnie Brown and they began adoption proceedings, but for some reason did not press the matter to a conclusion.

Some years passed, when Leslie Whitener again appeared on the scene and began habeas corpus proceedings to secure the child, charging that the Browns were not fit persons to have charge of the little one. As she had been herself leading a dissolute life, she wanted her girl turned over to the court to be placed in an orphan asylum. Attorneys for the Browns discovered the adoption papers, and the case was carried before Judge Henry, who decided that the Browns were not proper guardians. The habeas corpus was then granted and an order taken for the little girl.

On the evening before she was to be given up the Browns and the child disappeared. That was over one year ago, and up to last week no trace of them could be found. In the meantime the grandjury had indicted the Browns for kidnaping. They were finally located in South Pittsburg, Tenn., and officers went and brought them to Rome. W. D. Brown and wife are in jail to await trial on the charge of kidnaping.

REMOVAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

Frank J. Brown,

Grain, Provisions, Stocks and Cotton, direct wires to New York and Chicago, has removed to the "De Soto Building," 708½ Pine street.

COLLEGE CONSOLIDATION.

It Is Favored by the West Lexington Presbytery.

JACKSON, Ky., April 6.—The West Lexington Presbytery, in session here, unanimously adopted the following resolution offered by Judge William Beckner of Winchester:

Whereas, It appears from the public press that a movement is on foot looking to the consolidation and unification of all Presbyterian agencies for education in Kentucky; and,

Whereas, We believe that the success of such a movemet would strengthen the various interests involved, increase the usefulness of our church, and, above all, redound to the glory of our common Lord and Master; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by West Lexington Presbytery, That we heartily approve of the purposes of the conferences reported to have been held recently by representatives of Central University and Center College and of the seminaries at Danville and at Louisville, and express in unreserved terms an earnest hope that a just and satisfactory basis for a united control and conduct of these honored institutions may be speedily reached.

Progressive Euchre.—A progressive euchre will be given in St. Theresa's school hall, Grand avenue and North Market street, Tuesday evening, April 9. Fifty useful prizes are offered.

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LOVE AND MURDER MIX IN TRAGEDY

Westmoreland Killing Still a Mystery.

WIDOW'S TIRELESS EFFORTS

SHE HAS BEEN A VERITABLE NEMESIS.

Worked Day and Night and Through Her Efforts Three Men Have at Last Been Arrested.

PETERSBURG, Va., April 6.—Love and murder mingle in a tragedy that has not yet been solved.

William Westmoreland, who was night watchman at the Battersea Cotton Mills, was murdered five months ago, and the killing is as much a mystery now as it was the night the lifeless form was found. Three men, John Warrenton, William Cooley and Charles Beasley, have recently been arrested, charged with the crime, but there is no direct evidence against them and they stoutly protest their innocence.

The police of Petersburg were absolutely baffled by the mystery and it is solely due to the tireless efforts of the widow that the indictments were found and the arrets made. A veritable Nemesis, she haunted the police, whom she declared to be remiss in the performance of their duty. But there was little for a clew. When the dead man was found his pistol lay beside his corpse and his lighted lantern but a few yards away. Not a chamber of his pistol had been fired.

The first one to the scene was Mrs. Dolly Marks, who lives but half a square away. She heard the shots and then the groans, and fearing it was her wayward boy, who was away from home that night, ran in the direction of the groans. She placed Westmoreland's head within her lap and tried to learn from him who fired the shot, but the man was dead. Neighbors came, but no one could find a clew, nor did the coroner's inquest throw any light on the mystery. The police gave up the case, but not so with Westmoreland's widow. She vowed vengeance on her husband's murderers and day and night she worked in search of evidence. An ax and an empty bottle had been found near the gate entering the mill yard from the Norfolk & Western railroad tracks. They seemed to give no clew, and the police believed they had been placed there to throw them off the track.

The reward offered by Gov. Tyler of $100 for the apprehension of the murderers brought Private Detective James Young into the case. Mrs. Westmoreland discovered the owner of the ax, and further, that about 1 o'clock on the night of the murder five men intoxicated were wandering along the railroad near the mill. A motive for the crime was lacking, but Mrs. Westmoreland's persistent search developed the fact that only 19 days previous to the murder the mangled body of young R. L. Minor was picked up on the Norfolk & Western tracks. At the time it was believed that Minor had been killed by a passing train, but later it began to be whispered that he had been murdered and the body placed upon the tracks to make it appear the result of an accident. Minor had been visiting Miss Rebecca Palmer, the young woman with whom Charles Beasley was in love. The men quarreled about the girl; a short time afterward Minor was found dead, and in a few days Miss Palmer became the wife of Beasley. Mrs. Westmoreland was confident that her husband knew more of the murder than he dared to tell, and Supt. Robinson of the mills shared the same belief and approached Westmoreland about it, but could get nothing from him. Robinson and Mrs. Westmoreland believe that Westmoreland was killed to prevent his telling of the crime.

Mrs. Westmoreland rose from a sick bed after her husband had been killed to prosecute a search for the murderers. On her personal application to the hustings court 30 witnesses were summoned before the grandjury, and on their testimony indictments were found against Warrenton, Cooley and Beasley.

The main witness before the jury was John Moore, a young man, and on his testimony chiefly the indictments were found. The evidence was all kept secret, but the reporter was able to get from Moore his evidence. Only four days after it was obtained young Moore became suddenly ill and died within two days, causing much surprise. Many believe that his death was due to the knowledge he had of the murder. Moore said his words before the jury, as well as he could remember, were: "Beasley and I were walking down Hinton street. Beasley was intoxicated, and, referring to the recent murder, said: 'I know who killed Westmoreland. John Warrenton is the man and William Cooley was with him.' He said that after the killing Cooley went to the home of Warrenton, where he stayed until 4 o'clock in the morning, when Warrenton told him he had better leave." Moore kept this all secret till his conscience would no longer let him, and he told it to the widow of the murdered man.

The superstitious have carefully observed the part the number 13 plays in the whole affair, and in it find an evil foreboding for the prisoners. Rev. E. T. Dadmun, pastor of High Street Methodist Church, married Charles Beasley and Rebecca Palmer. It was the 13th marriage he had performed since becoming pastor of the church, and he made a special note of it to carefully observe the result. Rebecca Palmer has 13 letters in her name; Beasley made his confession to Moore on the 13th of December; Moore was the 13th child of his parents, and was the 13th to die; 13 days after the indictment of the parties for the murder of Westmoreland J. W. Harrison, who succeeded Westmoreland as night watchman at the mills, was fired upon and narrowly escaped being killed; Westmoreland was killed on the night of Oct. 13, and the names of the principals indicted for the murder—John Warrenton and William Cooley—each contain the unlucky 13 letters.

The devotion of Miss Annie Rivers has touched the hardest heart. She and Warrenton were making ready for their marriage day. Warrenton had been with her all the afternoon, making the final plans. He left her to return again in a few hours, but instead was carried by officers to the jail. The news was lightly broken to the girl, but she was overcome and gave vent to grief in bitter tears. As soon as she could control her sorrow she went to the jail, where in the presence of the guard she saw Warrenton. Without a word she fell into his arms and burst into tears. She believed him to be innocent even before he told her. Reluctantly she left him, promising to come to him each day, and faithfully has she kept her promise. But for his arrest Wednesday the two would have been made one the following Thursday. The marriage has been postponed, but according to the girl's own words it will take place as soon as Warrenton is free again.

TRACK WALKER'S DAMAGES.

Got $3000 for Being Struck by a Flying Stone.

BOWLING GREEN, Ky., April 6.—The Circuit Court at Brownsville, Edmondson County, has adjourned. During the last three days the case of W. E. Davis vs. the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Co. was on trial. Davis was a resident of Rocky Hill Station, and was track walker on the section south of that place, and sued for an injury which he claimed he received from the second section of No. 3 passenger train on the morning of Dec. 22. This was an extra train composed of three Pullman sleepers and another car, and ran from Louisville to New Orleans. It was shown that a brake rod became detached and dragged on the track just south of Rocky Hill for two or three miles and struck the stone ballast and caused it to fly on the side of the track and to strike and wound him. Three physicians, Drs. Hodge and Quigley of Rocky Hill and Dr. Cartwright of this city, were called to see him, and it was thought for several weeks that his injuries would prove fatal. The jury returned a verdict for $3000.

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CONTENT AND HAPPY AT 93.

Gentlemen:—It affords me great pleasure at the present time to report to you the great benefits I am deriving from your Pure Malt Whiskey. I am 93 years old and enjoy the best of health. About ten years ago I found my strength was failing me, and the thought flashed across my mind: "Am I now to be an invalid the rest of my life?" My good common sense told me that what I needed was a tonic and stimulant; something to keep up my strength and ward off disease. I was recommended to try Duffy's Malt Whiskey. After two or three weeks I noticed a change coming over me. Nature seemed to be taking on new forces and life and strength were returning once more. My tired, worn-out nervous system improved, my brain became clear. I had delightful sleep, and would awake refreshed, feeling that life was not a burden. My appetite is excellent, eyesight fair, hearing good. I am positive I owe my present condition to your Pure Malt Whiskey. I am satisfied it is prolonging my life; not a life of misery, but one of contentment and happiness. I shall continue to use it, with the hope that I will yet pass the century mark. Gratefully yours,

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All persons who are bald, whose hair is falling, who have scurf, dandruff, weak eyelashes or eyebrows, scanty partings, gray and faded hair, or any scalp humor, especially those that have tried other remedies without success, are requested to send us their name and address at once, and they will receive by return mail a trial bottle of Hair Forcer and a Bar of Skin and Scalp Soap, free of charge, and also full information how to use these marvelous remedies, and thousands of testimonials, medical opinions, etc. Write for them at once. Inclose 2c stamp for reply.

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"GOLDEN RULE" JONES, TOLEDO'S MAYOR, ON THE ELECTION.

"RISING TIDE OF DEMOCRACY"

He Pronounces His Re-Election to Be a Forerunner of a Great National Reform Wave.

TOLEDO, O., April 6.—Mayor Jones has issued the following statement concerning his re-election:

"The election in Toledo is an indication of the rising tide of the spirit of democracy that is soon to sweep over our land, and, like a revival of real religion obliterate all the petty lines of separation that have kept the men and women of America from cooperating together to build the real Democracy to which our nation is committed.

"The Toledo election is filled with hope and promise for all who believe in the coming of that better day, when the Golden Rule will be the supreme law of the land, when we shall cease to study killing as a fine art.

"It is the first step in the onward march of progress that within the first quarter of the twentieth century is to put an end to murder as a profession, either national under the name of war, or judicial as capital punishment.

"The election is beyond all comparison an infinitely great victory and means vastly more for the cause of human liberty than did the wonderful election of two years ago when my majority was about 9000 above all other candidates.

"The result was due to a revolt that involved the whole moral sentiment of the city, without regard to creed or party, against the outrage of shameless and open wrongs perpetrated by the Republican convention that denounced my nomination as a candidate for a second term.

"The pocketbook was passed around in the convention hall and delegates were openly bought for cash. The whole moral sense of this city rose up in rebellion against such a performance, and the result was the phenomenal victory that is now a matter of history.

"This campaign has been a campaign of faith in the highest and holiest sense of the word. In the campaign of two years ago we had a complete organization in every ward and in most of the precincts in this one we have had no organization and no attempt has been made to make one."

PROF. BRADLEY RESIGNS.

Held New Testiment Chair in Garrett Biblical Institute.

CHICAGO, April 6.—The resignation of Dr. Charles F. Bradley, professor of New Testament exegesis, has been given to the trustees of the Garrett Biblical Institute. Dr. Bradley is now in France, having been granted a year's leave of absence. It is thought that Dr. D. A. Hayes, a professor of the Greek languages in the University of the Pacific, San Jose, Cal., will be called.

WILL BUY NO MORE HORSES

Orders Received From London to Rush All Shipments From New Orleans to South Africa.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW ORLEANS, April 6.—The war office in London has cabled its agents in this country to buy no more mules and horses for the South African war, but to hurry all stock now under contract to New Orleans, where it will be put aboard ships as speedily as possible.

Col. de Burgh, the chief of the British army men in the United States, is now in the West, but is expected here in a few days.

May 1 has been set as the time for closing up the business of the shipping of stock from the United States. It is expected that the last animal will be aboard ship and off to sea by that date. It is believed here that the injunction suit begun by Gen. Pearson of the Boer army and E. Van Ness of New York in the United States District Court here had something to do with the instructions to stop buying stock, though the British representatives deny it.

TOPEKA MAYOR REPUBLICAN.

Corrected Returns Show Election of Hughes by Twelve Votes

TOPEKA, Kan., Apdil 6.—The Topeka City Council, in canvassing the municipal elections, found a discrepancy in the figures that elects Hughes, Republican candidate for mayor, by 12 votes. Before this his opponent was 11 votes ahead.

TO EDUCATE ILLITERATES

Ex-Senator Gorman's Idea Is Working Great Good Among Maryland Voters.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—According to Republican authority ex-Senator Gorman has done a great deal for the education of the illiterates in Maryland. Already the Republican committees in some of the strongly Republican counties have set in operation what they call schools of instruction, in which they educate their illiterate voters how to pass the test imposed by law, and it is said the success of the experiment will start the same sort of instruction in all the Republican counties in the state. The schools now being conducted are maintained by leading white Republicans. The illiterates who have availed themselves of the opportunity to post themselves in order to vote are colored men. A prominent Maryland Republican said today that Mr. Gorman would be surprised when the next election was held, and the effect of the law was known. The colored people are waking up to the necessity of having their children attend the schools, and are themselves trying honestly to defend their ballot by learning to read and write.

The highest praise should be accorded to Mr. Gorman for his bold stroke for education. He, no doubt, believes with many that an American citizen, white or black, who cannot read or write, should not be allowed to vote.

For Immanuel Church.—A musicale for the benefit of Immanuel Baptist Church will be given by the young people's society at Arcade Hall Friday evening, April 12, at 8 o'clock. The public is invited.

BEAT JAILER TO TRY FLIGHT.

Two Men at Lawrenceburg, Ky., Make Effort to Escape.

LAWRENCEBURG, Ky., April 6.—When Jailer Sparrow went into the jail here to remove ashes from a stove two inmates—Holly and Leroy Strutton—sprang upon him and beat him into insensibility. They then broke for liberty through the open door. Mrs. Sparrow seized Leroy Strutton and with the aid of a heavy stick held him until assistance came.

Holly Strutton was captured by Sheriff Hiatt about a mile from town. The fugitive fired four shots at the officer. Mrs. Sparrow was struck several times by Leroy Strutton, but she succeeded in regaining the jail key, which he had taken from her husband. She gave the key to her little son, who locked the doors while she held the prisoner, preventing the escape of others confined in the jail.

Holly Strutton is under sentence to hang for the murder of Capt. Newton Searcy and Leroy is in jail awaiting trial for the same crime.

BRANCH HOME FOR SOLDIERS.

Committee After a Suitable Site in East Tennessee.

BRISTOL, Tenn., April 6.—Gen. McMahon, Henderson Brown and other members of the Federal Soldiers' Home committee, reached East Tennessee today. The committee is now at Johnson City, Washington County, where it will select a suitable site for a branch of the National Soldiers' Home, for which Congress at its latest session appropriated $250,000. Congressman Brownlow, whose bill carried this appropriation, is with the committee.

APRIL FOOL DAY TROUBLES.

Practical Jokes Played in Paris Land Several Perpetrators in Jail.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.

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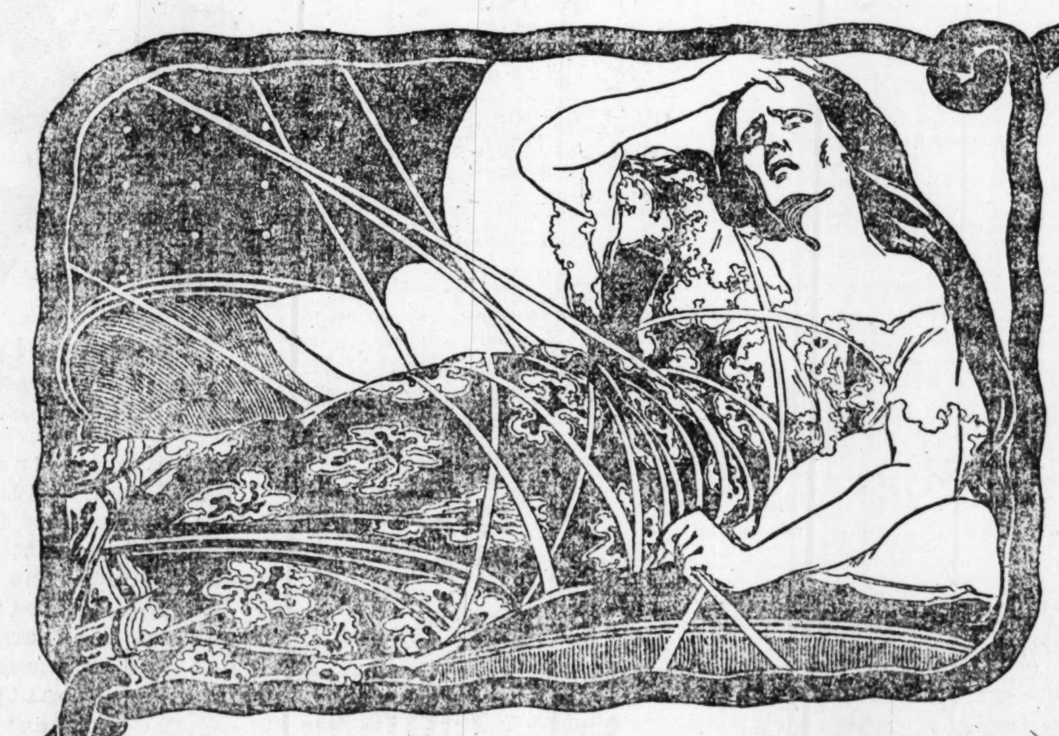
PARIS, April 6.—April Fool day was marked in Paris by several practical jokes so tall as to land the perpetrators in jail. For example, three students taking advantage of a professor's well-known fear of death, issued black-bordered, engraved invitations to his funeral. In the early morning, before the professor arose, the house front was draped. At 9 o'clock a hearse drove to the door. Soon after, the man being a celebrity, more than one thousand people had gathered, blocking the street for two hours. Persons apt to ascertain the truth beforehand had been carefully omitted from the invitation lists.

Another joke was a newspaper announcement of Liane Pougy's marriage to a prominent banker, whose life has been made miserable by demands for explanations and sarcastic congratulations ever since.

The third case before the courts was that of a man who was notified falsely of an inheritance on account of the death of a distant relative in London. He traveled there post haste, clad in deep mourning, only to find the possessor of the fortune healthily enjoying life. Figaro reports that one joker telephoned to every surgeon whose name appeared in the telephone book, a hurried call to attend a difficult childbirth. As many as 12 surgeons called at the same house.

Fair and Festival.—A fair and festival for the benefit of Holy Innocents' Church will be given at Gross' Hall, corner of Morganford road and Juniata street, on Monday evening, April 8.



BRINGS FREEDOM

Haley, Tenn., February 2, 1900.

I have been suffering from female diseases for four years. At times I have to go to bed. I have had several doctors but none of them did me any good. My menses have not been right for years and they get worse every year. My friends advise me to take Wine of Cardui and Thedford's Black-Draught. I will tell you of my troubles and ask you to write me whether or not I should take Wine of Cardui. I have pains all over me. I have no appetite to eat. At times it hurts me to stand on my feet. I have spells in which I nearly smother. My stomach and bowels are in bad shape and it hurts me to lie on my side. I have catarrh in my head so bad, my head nearly kills me sometimes. What can you do for me? Mrs. DELIA PEARSON.

The future seemed about hopeless when Mrs. Pearson wrote this letter. Four years had been full of pain for her. Doctors had failed. Just think of the agony of such years of menstrual suffering! This good woman knew she was gradually growing weaker. She could not eat. It was painful at times to lie down. The awful menstrual trouble was sapping away her life. The pain grew sharper and continued longer each month, and each month she grew less able to bear it. What was she to do? A friend answered that for Mrs. Pearson by advising her to take Wine of Cardui. Mrs. Pearson can never fully repay that friend.

WINE OF CARDUI

Haley, Tenn., June 17, 1900.

I have used five bottles of Wine of Cardui and five packages of Thedford's Black-Draught, and I feel like a new woman. My husband and my friends say I look better than I have in some time. I wrote you in February about your medicine, and I have been taking it ever since. I am doing all my work with ease, and am resting well at night and sleeping like a child. My menses come on regularly now for the first time in three years. I have no more smothering spells and no more headache, and I am feeling better in every way. When I wrote you last February I was not able to sit up. I began mending as soon as I commenced taking your medicine and have been improving ever since. Your medicines have done me more good than all the doctors' medicines. DELIA PEARSON.

How can any woman who suffers as Mrs. Pearson suffered read this statement without recognizing that Wine of Cardui will cure her own ills in the same way. Wine of Cardui has brought relief to more than 1,000,000 women during its history of nearly 100 years. It is not an untried experiment. A million healthy women are examples of the health-giving power of the Wine. It is a simple, harmless vegetable medicine, that always does one thing—regulating the menstrual flow and strengthening the weakened and diseased female organs. That is what you need if you suffer like Mrs. Pearson. If you are in distress as she was, the way to health is open to you—go to your druggist and buy a $1.00 bottle of Wine of Cardui. Don't accept substitutes. These women were cured by Wine of Cardui.

For advice and literature, address, giving symptoms, "The Ladies' Advisory Department," The Chattanooga Medicine Company, Chattanooga, Tenn.

RUSSIA'S WAR ON STUDENTS

Ordered to Report Daily to the Police.

GIRLS THROWN IN PRISON

EMPIRE'S DANGER IN UNIVERSITIES, PEASANTS INERT.

Fair Students at Odessa Were Printing Revolutionary Literature—In St. Petersburg Students Must Report to Police Daily.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.
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ST. PETERSBURG, April 6.—A reported attempt on the Czar's life at Tsarsko proves unfounded. The Czar and Czarina are living in complete seclusion there. The Czarina's health is very delicate. Her accouchement is expected this month.

Though disturbances throughout the chief cities of the empire, provoked by Pobedonoszeff's bigoted repression, caused much loss of life and sent a large draft of political suspects to Siberia, the talk of a revolution is absurd.

A revolution can only come here by the chiefs of the government and army combining to depose the Czar, an event about as likely as a conspiracy in the college of cardinals to overthrow the Pope. This country is vast, the inertia of the peasant class so profound and their ignorance so hopeless, that it will take a century before a revolution can spring from the people.

Measures of drastic repression have been initiated against the students in the universities throughout the empire. Four hundred students here have been ordered to report themselves morning and evening to the police. All who fail to do so are arrested and thrown into prison for an indefinite period. Several have been arrested already.

At Odessa, in a raid made on a printing press worked by girl students, 14 were arrested and 170 others placed under strict police surveillance.

In Kieff three students were mysteriously killed—it is believed by their fellow-students, who suspected them of being police spies, and poisoned them.

The universities would be closed only the authorities fear the dispersal as spreading the centers of disaffection. Therefore, they prefer to keep the students under observation in big bodies.

Great consternation has been caused at Moscow because 90 students absconded without leave on a mission to preach socialism among the peasants in the villages.

In Charkoff two students were killed and 24 wounded in the recent disturbances.

It is stated that Grand Duke Michael, the heir-apparent, will soon begin a tour of the empire for the purpose of studying administration methods. Peter Von Strove and M. T. Tugan-Baranoffsky, political economists and Marxist leaders, have been ordered to leave St. Petersburg. They were arrested during the recent riots.

GONE BACK TO MEXICO

MRS. GRANT GILLETTE CANNOT SETTLE HER HUSBAND'S TROUBLES.

HE WAS THE "CATTLE KING"

Many Cattlemen Who Were Swindled by Him Are Yearning for His Return to United States.

ABILENE, Kan., April 6—Mrs. Grant Gillette left today for Chihuahua, having been unable, it is said, to arrange a compromise with her husband's creditors. Gillette fled to Mexico in November, 1898, owing cattlemen throughout the Southwest over a million dollars.

Gillette had earned the name of "Cattle King," and enjoyed an almost unlimited credit at Kansas City, where he dealt principally. After he disappeared investigation showed that he had mortgaged the same herds of cattle half a dozen times or more. Many big firms were caught and one or two were compelled to go out of business because of the worthless Gillette paper they held. Creditors traced Gillette to Mexico and pleaded with him to help extricate them from the muddle he had left.

He refused to return to Kansas, and there was no charge on which he could be brought back. Later he charged that several big cattlemen throughout the Southwest were implicated with him and is said to have offered to return to the United States if promised protection from arrest. This was followed by a trip two months ago of Mrs. Gillette to their old home near Abilene to negotiatae a compromise.

When she started for Mexico today Mrs. Gillette is said to have stated that she had been unable to secure assurance of Gillette's safety from arrest, should he come back, and that they will likely continue to live in Mexico. Gillette is engaged in business near Chihuahua.

"Big Four Route" to Buffalo and Cincinnati. Finest service, trackc and equipment.

W. H. CLOPTON, JR., PROMOTED.

St. Louis Boy Is Made First Lieutenant in the Philippine Volunteers.

POST-DISPATCH BUREAU,
1347 Pennsylvania Avenue.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—Among the appointments announced today by the President was that of Wm. H. Clopton to be first lieutenant of the Thirty-second regiment of Infantry, volunteer army. Mr. Clopton is now a second lieutenant in that regiment. He is the son of Wm. H. Clopton of St. Louis, United States district attorney.

PAINTERS STRIKE SETTLED.

Cincinnati Bosses Have Agreed on a Scale of Work and Wages.

CINCINNATI, O., April 6.—The strike of the journeymen painters was settled today and over 800 men will resume work next Monday. At a conference between the Painters' Union and Master Painters' Association, a new scale was agreed upon, to be in effect for two years. The new scale calls for eight hours a day's work, 33 cents an hour for the first year and 35 cents for the second, or 34 for both years.

Bad Piece of Work.

From the San Francisco Chronicle.

Tillman of South Carolina boasts that he is a self-made man. His career in the Senate proves that the workmanship was bad.

STOLE MARRIAGE LICENSE

Court Clerk Is Accused of Assisting Countess Correaux in an Unique Brand of Badgering.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, April 6.—Meyer Gossman, clerk of Judge Cuthill's circuit court, is accused of being a conspirator in a marvellously well engineered badger game which Countess de Correaux, otherwise known as Mme. Carpenter, worked in her magnificent apartments in Ashland boulevard.

The court official was charged with having secured a marriage license blank from the County Clerk's office and of having filled it in with false names.

Then it was witnessed by others in the plot and was to be used to get money from wealthy men whom Bertha Meske, the Countess' companion, was expected to bring to the flat.

The fake marriage license was produced by Attorney Purnell in Justice Doyle's court, where Bertha Meske, now fallen from the graces of the Countess, and Harry Sellman, her sweetheart, were arraigned on the countess' complaint that they had stolen several thousand dollars' worth of her costly clothes.

The countess' title is not in any work on peerage, but she says that makes no difference, she has been robbed and proposes to prosecute. The case will go on next Tuesday.

JUDGES IN FINE SHIRT WAISTS

All Have Agreed to Wear Them Except McMaster, Who Wants a Blue Coat.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 6.—At an informal gathering of the Bar Association last night a resolution was adopted requesting the judges of the courts to wear shirt waists after May 1. It was first proposed that they be requested to wear black gowns, but the resolution was amended to read shirt waists, and all the judges have agreed to wear pink shirt waists after May 1, except Judge McMaster. He insists on wearing blue.

Ernest Keith, secretary of the Bar Association, said it was all a joke, and as a matter of fact the judges interviewed regarded the whole thing as a pleasant piece of nonsense.

Expressive.

From the Detroit Free Press.

"Who is that girl with a face full of freckles over yonder?"

"She's a recent importation from Switzerland."

"Ah, I see. Dotted Swiss."

A Court That Promoted Fun.

"One of the most amusing men who ever sat on the bench in a district court," said G. J. Stedman of Washington to a writer in the New York Tribune, "was Judge Carter. It was not only the apt and pertinent remarks that fell from the bench that alone made the proceedings before him amusing, but the spirit of fun in the judge seemed as well to communicate itself to the learned counsel who appeared before him.

In his court many were the witty sayings and epigrams that were spoken, and so famous did his dingy courtroom become that it was always crowded when Judge Carter was to preside. When Davidge and Merrick were the leaders of the district bar they were rivals, and neither ever missed a chance to get in a dig at the other. A case was being tried before Judge Carter, and, as was not unusual in those days, Davidge and Merrick were opposed to each other. In the course of the trial Merrick addressed the court, beginning with the words:

"'Your honor, I have an idea'—

"He never told what it was, however, for at this juncture Davidge got upon his feet and moved for a writ of habeas corpus to release the idea from solitary confinement."

The Trials of the Tourist.

"It seems to me your people are not very enthusiastic," observed the Tourist.

"And what makes you think so?"

"It's been nearly an hour since anyone asked me how I like the city."

$1.00, $1.50 and $2.00 "R. & G."

Sample Corsets **59c**

Monday we place on sale over 900 Sample Corsets, every one of which is stamped with the well-known "R. & G." trademark—a sufficient guarantee in itself that these are first-class, high-grade corsets.

Among them you'll find the new straight front shapes, Empire styles, etc.—both long and short waists—black, drab or white—some of imported coutille, others of fine sateen—in a good assortment of sizes.

Not One Worth Less Than a Dollar,

and many that you would readily pay $1.50 and $2.00 for.

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Fastest Growing Store in America. *Broadway and Washington.*

Baby Carriages and Go-Carts.

$3.85 For Baby Carriage—upholstered in denim, with pat. foot brake and parasol—worth $5.75.

$5.98 For Sleeper Go-Cart—reclining back and dash, denim upholstered, ruffled sateen parasol, rubber tires—real value $8.00.

$9.50 For Sleeper Go-Cart—reed body, cane bottom, upholstered, with Bedford cord; ruffled parasol, rubber tires—usually sold at $12.00.

$11.98 For Sleeper Go-Cart—reed body, cane seat, upholstered with velour, similie silk parasol, rubber tires and hub caps—really worth $15.00.

New Robes, Laces, Etc.

A marvelous collection of charming, dainty things for adding adornment to day or evening costumes.

Robes—50 elegant imported White Wash Robes, trimmed in the most artistic and charming manner with fine laces and embroideries, in bands, flounces and tucks—very stylish and very popular—$12.50 would not be an exorbitant price—here Monday at.... **$7.50**

Embroideries—Heavy Hamburg Edges and Insertions, with fast button-hole edges, really worth 7½c—Grand-Leader price.......... **4c**

Velour—Pretty new shades in Crystal Velour, Liberty Silk and Satin, worth to 75c—choice Monday, per yard....... **35c**

All-Overs—Exceedingly handsome lace and embroidery combination Allovers—fine, sheer goods—many with fine tucks and cords—suitable for shirt waists and allover dresses—actually worth up to $3.00—Monday, per yard...... **98c**

In Basement—Torchon Laces of heavy quality—edges and insertions—worth up to 10c—special Monday at, per yard......... **4c**

100 pieces black and white Applique Laces—also Black Cluny Laces—worth to 25c—choice in Basement, per yard........ **5c**

Gowns and Wraps.

Suits—In Blouse, Eton, Bolero and Reefer styles—plain or fancy trimmed—flare or flounce shapes—jackets silk or satin lined—perfect tailored garments in black, blue, brown, castor and gray—not to be duplicated for less than $13.50—10 different styles to select from, at— **$10.00**

Silk-Lined Blouse Suits, of high-grade English cheviot—in black or blue—blouse of newest cut—graduated flounce skirt—entire suit lined with good quality taffeta silk and handsomely finished with tailor stitching—$20.00 Suits for only **$16.50**

Taffeta Silk Skirts—Stylish 7-gored Taffeta Silk Dress Skirts, with flounce of black net and applique—good percaline lining—$10 Skirts for **$8.50**

Ladies' Swell Taffeta Silk Dress Skirts (unlined), are very popular this season—graduated flounce, trimmed with 4 fluffy ruffles of black silk net edged with narrow satin ribbon—a very showy skirt—worth $17.50—Monday, **$13.50**

Silk Etons—New Taffeta Silk Open Etons, with black vest and L'Aiglon collar—elaborately silk embroidered in handsome designs—flaring cuffs and lined with satin—extra good value at, **$7.50**

Suits—Swell Novelty Suits, exact copies of imported models—in newest open Etons with vest-like boleros and tight-fitting effects—all made of finest quality of coverts, broadcloths and imported cheviots, in shades of tan, gray, castor, blue and black—all have silk drop skirts—prices $50, $43.50, $37.50, $33.50 and **$27.50**

Raglans—Monday we give you choice of any Raglan Coat in our house, made of the finest coverts and Oxford cloth, in tan, castor and Oxford—44 and 56-inch lengths, all lined to the waist with satin—Raglans that we have been selling at $15.00, $20.00 and $30.00—your choice of the 25 garments that are left at, each, **$9.98**

Cloth Jackets—Half Tight-Fitting Box Coats of all-wool kersey, in tan, castor, blue and black—satin lined—flare cuffs and velvet collar—Monday, **$8.50**

Ladies' Short Spring Jackets, of kerseys, chevots and coverts—fly-fronts and double-breasted reefer styles—black, blue, tan, castor and brown—silk and satin linings—a big line to select from, at **$5.95**

Old Ladies' and Stout Ladies' Spring Jackets of imported kersey and cheviot, with turned-in edges—fly-front and reefer styles—taffeta silk lined—peau de soie faced and stitched—sizes up to 46 bust measure, at **$12.50 and $10.00**

Boys' Dependable Clothing.

Clothing made to WEAR—not merely to look well. Every little detail is carefully looked after—no expense is spared to make ours the very best Boys' Clothing in St. Louis. And it IS.

At **$4.95** Boys' Confirmation Knee Pant Suits, in double-breasted styles, of all wool blue and black Hawthorne Serges—guaranteed for fast color, strength and fit—sizes 7 to 16 years—well worth $6.50.

At **$4.45** Boys' Double Breasted Knee Pant Suits, of all wool, plain blue Botany Serges, fancy Scotch Cheviots, Tweeds, Cassimeres and Worsteds—all the little niceties of cut and finish are to be found in these garments—sizes 7 to 16 years—worth $5.75.

At **$6.45** Boys' Three Piece Knee Pant Suits, of plain blue and black unfinished Worsteds—cutaway, sack coats and single-breasted vests—suitable for confirmation and dress wear—up to date in every respect—sizes 10 to 16 years—actually worth $8.00.

At **$3.95** Boys' Vestee Sailor and Russian Blouse Suits, of fine mixed Cheviots and plain blue Serges—handsomely trimmed and braided—taste and skill are apparent in every fold—sizes 3 to 8 years—would be good value at $5.25.

Special Sale Infants' Wear.

Baby's spring clothes are ready. That anouncement means a world of bother and worry saved to mothers in being freed from the trouble of home sewing. These little garments wear fully as well as the home-made sort, and usually are much superior in fit, finish and style.

SPECIAL FROM 8 TO 10—Infants' all-wool Bands, with shoulder straps—slightly imperfect—otherwise we would sell them at 35c—from 8 to 10, each **15c**

Infants' Long Slips—Of fine cambric, with yoke of embroidery, worth 39c, Monday price.......... **19c**

Infants' Sacques—Of solid pink and blue flannelette, finished with crochet edge, also a lot of all-wool Shirts—open fronts and pearl buttons—worth 50c—choice at........ **25c**

Dresses—Infants' Long and Short Dresses, in bishop style or with short yokes—of fine Nainsook—sleeve and neck finished with embroidery—worth 49c—three dresses for $1.00, or, each.......... **35c**

Children's Colored Dresses, of pretty percales and lawns, in Mother Hubbard style—ages from 1 to 4 years—in pink and blue—strikingly trimmed with white braid, worth 69c, choice.......... **49c**

Infants' Long and Short Dresses of fine Nainsook and India Linen, with round or square yokes, trimmed with hemstitching, lace and embroidery—worth $1.50—Monday.......... **98c**

$2.00 and $2.98 Long and Short Dresses, beautifully trimmed with lace and embroidery on yoke and skirt—made of fine India Linen or Nainsook—slightly mussed and soiled from display.......... **$1.49**

The New Lace Curtains.

All brand new and in the prettiest patterns imaginable—a broader, better collection than we have ever shown before. Third Floor.

Irish Point Lace Curtains—Made on 3-ply bobbinet with handsome open work borders and spachtel designs—also the new Savoy Novelty Curtains, made on heavy bobbinet, with beautiful lace edges and insertions—

$4.00 Irish Point Lace Curtains, pair $2.50
$4.50 Savoy Novelty Lace Curtains, pair.......... $2.98
$6 Savoy Novelty Lace Curtains, pair.... $3.75
$7.50 Irish Point Lace Curtains, pair..... $5.00
$9 Irish Point Lace Curtains, pair....... $6.00
$10.50 Irish Point Lace Curtains, pair... $7.50
$13.50 Irish Point Lace Curtains, pair.... $9.00
$17.50 Irish Point Lace Curtains, pair.. $12.00

New Ruffled Curtains—Including Bobbinet, Plain Organdie, Embroidered, Dotted and Figured Swiss—the very newest ideas—some have fluted edges, others ruffled with deep lace edges and insertions, in Duchess, Point de Paris, Cluny and Battenburg designs—

$1.25 Fluted Swiss Curtains, per pair.......... 75c
$2 Ruffled Swiss Curtains, per pair...... $1.19
$2.50 Ruffled Swiss Curtains, per pair... $1.50
$2.75 Embroidered Swiss Curtains, pair.. $1.75
$3 Ruffled Bobbinet Curtains, per pair.. $2.00
$3.75 Ruffled Bobbinet Curtains, pair... $2.50
$5 Ruffled Bobbinet Curtains, per pair... $3.50
$6.50 Ruffled Bobbinet Curtains, pair... $4.50

Table Covers—8x4 Reversible Satin finished Tapestry Table Covers, with beautiful borders and medallion centers—regular dining table size—finished with heavy tassel fringe—worth $3.00—Monday, each..... **$1.75**

Lace Spreads—Real Irish Point Lace Spreads, of large size, made on best quality bobbinet, with deep embroidered borders and spachtel designs—worth up to $10.00—at, each.......... **$3.98**

Curtain Poles—Highly Polished Wood Curtain Poles, 5 ft. long, in oak or mahogany finish, with handsome brass or silver finished ends and brackets—regular value $1.00—Monday, each.......... **25c**

Brass Rods—Half-inch Extension Rods, with fancy brass ends and brackets—will extend to 54 inches—just what you need for hanging lace curtains—regular value 25c—Monday, each.......... **10c**

The Newest Dress Goods.

All the bright new Spring fancies—latest ideas in styles, weaves and colorings, are here for your Monday choosing—and at prices that admit no REAL competition.

Special from 8 to 10 A. M. We will sell to each customer not over 12 yds. of 32-inch best quality French Challie in all the new blues, grays, black, reds and lavender grounds, overshot with all the dainty floral and scroll designs and positively worth 50c—on main floor, from 8 to 10 a. m., per yard.......... **29c**

Special from 8 to 10 A. M. Only one pattern to a customer—40-inch pure Mohair Black Pebble Suiting—guaranteed to retain its brilliancy and fully worth 65c—on main floor, from 8 to 10 a. m., per yard.......... **25c**

Chevron—48-inch smooth finish Black Chevron Cloth, guaranteed pure dye—only 5 yards required for a full dress pattern and fully worth 65c per yard—Monday, as long as it lasts, per yard.......... **35c**

Granite Cloth—24 pieces 40-inch extra quality all-wool Granite Cloth, in the new shades of gray, tan, blue, castor, red and black—actually worth 75c—Special Monday at.......... **49c**

Broadcloth—20 pieces 52-inch German Broadcloth for ladies' tailor-made gowns—all the new shades of this season—never sold under $1.35—sponged and shrunk Monday free of charge, at per yard.......... **98c**

Whipcord—Extra fine imported French Whipcord, in every color imaginable and black—worth regularly $1.35—sponged and shrunk ready for wear, at, per yard.......... **95c**

A Remarkable Sacrifice of Stylish Millinery

All Odds and Ends from our great Easter business will be sold Monday at less than cost.

Flowers—Thousands of imported bunches of Roses, Spray Flowers, Foliage of all kinds, Wreaths, etc.—all nice and clean, but only a few of a kind left—have been selling up to $1.00 each—Monday, your choice.......... **25c**

Hats—Big lot of all kinds of Hats for ladies, misses and children in all new colorings and shapes—some worth $1.50—odd lots, but nice and clean—Monday **49c**

Ornaments—About 25 doz. very fine gilt and steel Ornaments—every one worth $1—but as we want to sell all the odd lots quickly, take choice Monday at **25c**

SPECIAL—As a further inducement to have you share in this most wonderful sacrifice of fine millinery, every hat purchased of us on Monday with the materials, we will **Trim Free of Charge**—you must not miss this chance.

Six Silk Specials.

A half dozen seasonable offers that we are confident will crowd this popular department to its fullest capacity Monday.

Wash Silks—Dainty Striped Wash Silks—white figures woven on colored stripes—entirely new—should be 50c, but for Monday we'll make the price, per yard.......... **39c**

Foulards—24-inch All-Silk Twilled Foulard Silks—10 different and distinct styles—both large and small patterns—various shades of gray, heliotrope, old rose, blue, green, red, black and white—for Monday only, per yard.......... **49c**

Black Silks—24-inch Plain Black Twilled Foulard Silk—also 23-inch Black Swiss Taffeta—either of these black silks would be good value at 75c—Monday we offer you choice at, per yard.......... **59c**

Plain Louisines and Pallette de Soie—new, soft and lustrous fabrics, now exceedingly popular; we carry them in all shades—also white, cream and black—Monday, per yard.......... **75c**

Grenadine—Black Silk Grenadines in stripes, dots, escurial and floral designs—also plain meshes. We offer you Monday some big values in these popular silks—45 inches wide—per yard.......... **98c**

Brocaded and Figured Crepe de Chines in heliotrope, purple, tan, turquoise, yellow, white, gray and black. We have been selling these at $1.50—we offer them Monday, while they last at, per yard.......... **$1.00**

Shoes and Oxfords.

- Ladies' Patent Leather Flexible Sole Shoes.........
- Ladies' Patent Leather Extension Sole Shoes........
- Ladies' Vici Kid Patent Tip Lace Shoes..............
- Ladies' Imperial Kid Tip Lace Shoes...............
- Ladies' Royal Kid Button Shoes.....................
- Ladies' Patent Tip Kid Shoes, extension soles......
- Ladies' Box Calf Lace Shoes, extension soles........
- Ladies' Common Sense Soft Dongola Shoes..........
- Ladies' Patent Tip Extension Soles, low heels.......
- Ladies' Hand-turn Patent Tip Oxfords..............
- Ladies' Goodyear Welt Patent Leather Oxfords......
- Ladies' Royal Kid Tip Hand-turn Oxfords...........
- Ladies' Vici Kid Patent Tip Extension Sole Oxfords.
- Ladies' Tan Vici Kid Vesting Top Oxfords..........
- Ladies' Kangaroo Kid Patent Tip Oxfords—Louis XV heels.......................
- Ladies' Tan Russia Calf Extension Sole Oxfords.....

Other Stores would Ask $2.50 and $3.00. We offer You Choice at $1.98

Pictures Framed.

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We frame them in a most artistic and thorough manner, with glass and back, in gilt, natural wood, or black ebonized frames—size 10 x 15 inches—at, each.......... **25c**

Frames of still better quality mouldings at..... **45c, 65c and 95c**

These frames are made from short lengths of mouldings which constantly accumulate in our immense framing room. That accounts for the little prices.

Room Mouldings—A manufacturer's entire surplus stock of Ornamental Room Mouldings at just half what the professional decorators charge. These mouldings, besides being useful for hanging pictures, give refinement and character to any room. Bring a sample of your wall paper, if possible, and we'll help select a moulding that will harmonize with it. There are dozens of different colors and styles, in blue, green, pink, gold, etc.

Regular 8c Mouldings, at, per foot.. **4c** Regular 6c Mouldings, at, per foot.. **3c** Regular 4c Mouldings, at, per foot.. **2c**

Where the Bargains Are.

In no department is buying-economy more forcibly shown than in our great Basement. Here are more of those wonderful bargains you've grown to expect there.

Oxblood Chambrays—36-inch Oxblood Chambrays, worth 15c, at, per yard.......... **7½c**

Bleached Sheeting—Extra good quality, 2¼ wide Bleached Sheeting—cheap at 25c—at, per yard.......... **16c**

Sheets—9-4 size, Utica Bleached ready-made Sheets, worth 75c—at, each.......... **59c**

Wrappers—Ladies' Percale Wrappers, made of 12c percale; yoke back and front; made up in beautiful style; 4-yard skirt; extra deep flounce; fitted lining; bound seams; cheap at $1.50—Monday, each.......... **$1.00**

Table Sets—All-Linen Table Sets, consisting of 1 cloth, 2½ yards long, with fancy colored borders; napkins to match—worth $2.75—per set....... **$1.89**

Dinner Napkins—Extra heavy strictly all-linen bleached Damask Dinner Napkins of beautiful patterns; 24 inches square—cheap at $2.50—per dozen. **$1.69**

Scarfs—Strictly All-Linen Hemmed Scarfs, 2 yards long, with open work—worth $1.00, each.......... **48c**

Duck Skirting—Good Fancy Woven Duck Skirting—worth 15c—per yard.......... **5c**

Batiste—250 pieces Fancy Printed Batiste Lawns, worth 12½c—per yard.......... **6¼c**

Corded Lawn—50 pieces Fancy Printed Corded Lawn—worth 10c—per yard.......... **5c**

From 8 to 10 A. M.

Duck Skirting—50 pieces of linen colored Duck Skirting—worth 12½c—in Basement, from 8 to 10, per yard.......... **5c**

Pique—50 pieces of fine quality Pique, white with black figures or dots, worth 15c—in Basement, from 8 to 10, per yard.......... **5c**

Zephyr Gingham—1 case of striped and checked Zephyr Gingham—worth 12½c—in Basement, from 8 to 10, per yard.......... **6¼c**

Fruit of Loom Muslin—1 case of genuine Fruit of Loom Muslin—from 8 to 10, in Basement, per yard...... **6c**

Wrappers—Ladies' Ready-Made Percale Wrappers, beautiful patterns, nicely trimmed with braids, shoulder caps, extra wide skirt with deep flounce, worth $1.25—from 8 to 10, in Basement, each.......... **69c**

Sheeting—A small case of short lengths of the very best all-linen Sheeting, 9, 10 and 11-4 wide, worth up to $1.50—in Basement, from 8 to 10, per yard.......... **75c**

Long Cloth—500 pieces of fine Long Cloth in 12 yard bolts—worth $1.50—in Basement, from 8 to 10, per bolt.......... **89c**

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Haviland China Tea Cups and Saucers, beautifully decorated with floral sprays—worth $4.00 per dozen, Monday, cup and saucer for.......... **23c**

Decorated Haviland China 7 1-2-inch Plates, worth $4.00 per dozen, Monday, each.......... **23c**

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Fruit Saucers of German China, daintily decorated in floral designs and well worth $1.35 per dozen, Monday, per dozen.......... **89c**

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GRASPING AT A SUNBEAM.

Efforts of a Small Boy That Pleased the Passengers.

From the New York Sun.

He was a very small boy, not more than 2 years old, and still in dresses. The seats in the car were all taken, and the small boy stood up with his mother.

There came into the car over one of the blinds a slender sunbeam, which fell diagonally downward across the little fellow's dress, and when his eye fell upon this he reached down and carefully closed his hand over it and then raised his hand to his face and opened his fingers. But there wasn't any sunbeam there.

The passengers who say this were as much interested in it all, in their way, a as the small boy was in his, and presently they saw him try it again. Looking down, he saw the sunbeam still there, just where it had been before when he had tried to grasp it, and he made that effort again.

Reaching down, he closed his fingers around it once more, and once more he raised his hand and opened it and looked inside for the sunbeam, once more to find—nothing there.

Then taller buildings cut off the ray, and the small boy's mind was diverted into some other channel.

Scarcity of Good Horses.

From the Philadelphia Inquirer.

The attempt to secure 428 horses to mount the first squadron of the Fourteenth United States Cavalry, now being formed at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., has developed a very surprising bit of news. Even that small number of good horses cannot be secured, and though the government is willing to pay $145 per head for the animals, which is twice the sum paid during Democratic hard times, they cannot be secured. Twelve hundred and fifty horses will be needed to mount the regiment, and if a third of that number cannot be secured at high prices, what is the war department to do when it comes to mounting the whole regiment?

Several things have brought about this situation. During hard times the farmers in many sections ceased to breed horses. The change in the traction systems of the great cities threw an enormous number of poor animals on the market, and caused a slump in prices. Lastly, England and Russia have had agents at work in the middle West for a long time, who have bought up the pick of the good horses for cavalry and transport service, leaving only second-rate animals for this government.

One hundred dollars per head for cavalry horses is a good price to pay at any time, but when the price rises to $145, the current figure, with a prospect of higher rates, it shows that the shortage in horseflesh is very serious. That the government will finally secure the mounts that it needs may be set down as assured. But with an active demand for horses and good prices ruling, it is probable that we will have in the near future a revival in horse breeding that will vastly improve the stock, as well as providing the country with enlarged herds from which to draw.

TOILER, CANST THOU DREAM?

Toiler, canst thou dream
At the seam, at the plow?
Higher heritage than kings
Hast thou.

Canst thou read, in star or weed,
Answer to thy heart's deep cry?
Gold, nor gem, nor Love's own crown
So satisfy.

Toiler, canst thou wait,
Through the storm-black hour, elate,
Ruler of thy recreant will,
Dominant of Fate?

Toiler, canst thou trust?
From the dust, stand, and tell,
Though the tears come streaming, all—
All is well!

—Lulu W. Mitchell.

Ibsen's Idiosyncrasy.

Ibsen, the great Norwegian dramatist, is said to be unable to write unless he has on the table in front of him a try containing a number of grotesque figures—a wooden bear, a tiny image of Mephistopheles, two or three cats (one playing the fiddle, and some rabbits.

WOMAN IS APPOINTED,
IN NEBRASKA COUNTY,
THE COUNTY CORONER

DR. ELLA E. SUMMERS.

Her Shrewdness and Ready Wit at an Inquest Saved an Innocent Man From Being Arrested.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

OMAHA, April 6.—Dr. Ella E. Summers, a comely young woman of 26, a graduate of an Omaha medical college, has just been appointed coroner of Franklin County, Nebraska. She is probably the only woman coroner in the United States.

The appointment was made by the county court as the result of petitions circulated and signed by her friends. There was no other candidate for the place. It seemed to be generally understood that Dr. Ella, as she is called, was the logical successor of her uncle, Robert Sedgwick, the former incumbent, who died ten days ago. That she is eminently fitted to fill the office there is no doubt in the minds of those who are familiar with her career since she left college. For the last three years she has helped her uncle in his undertaking business. Constant association with the grewsome surroundings of his morgue, together with her dissecting room training, have thoroughly removed that morbid dread of human cadavers which is supposed to be especially marked in the gentler sex, and in its place has come a kind of fascination for her calling.

If there be those who doubt Dr. Ella's ability to discharge the duties of coroner creditably it is because they don't know the particulars of what is known in and about Bloomington, the county seat, as the McEwen case. In this she certainly displayed good judgment, and, thanks to her womanly foresight and skill in drawing conclusions from circumstances, saved the reputation of a good citizen and spared a county officer the humiliation of making a bad mistake.

It happened during the last illness of Coroner Sedgwick. Early one morning word came to Dr. Ella, who was then in charge of her uncle's undertaking rooms, that the dead body of P. J. McEwen had just been found in the hayloft over Brown's livery stable, where he had been employed as a hostler. She hurried to the scene and found the corpse lying in a pool of halfdried blood. In the right temple was a bullet wound and by his side lay a pistol from which the shot had been fired. One chamber was empty. The man had been dead evidently seven or eight hours.

While she was mentally taking notes of these facts the sheriff and one of his deputies arrived.

They examined the body, the pistol, the wound, studied the attitude of the limbs and the expression of the face, and were not satisfied with what they saw. It didn't look to them like a case of suicide. A very suspicious circumstance, they thought, was the mysterious absence of another man employed at the barn, Otto Meyers, and that of one of Mr. Brown's best rigs. Witnesses appeared, testifying to an enmity between Meyers and McEwen. The sheriff and his deputy went away, shaking their heads wisely.

Then Dr. Ella, who had previously qualified as deputy coroner, empaneled a coroner's jury and began to take evidence in the case. All persons who had been at the barn late the preceding night, and all others who were in a position to know anything about the matter, were subpenaed as witnesses, and Dr. Ella exhibited not a little shrewdness in examining them.

During the luncheon interval she learned that the sheriff had sworn out a warrant for the arrest of Meyers and was about to send two deputies out to search for him. She went to the sheriff at once and urged him not to be too hasty. She pointed out the previous good character of Meyers and called attention to the meager evidence there was against him.

"At least wait until you hear the report of the coroner's jury," she said.

The sheriff consented, none too cheerfully, however, to pigeonhole the warrant temporarily.

Upon convening for its afternoon session the jury went to McEwen's sleeping room, adjoining the office of the livery stable, and began an examination of his effects. A trunkful of old clothes and trumpery of various kinds was shoveled out upon the floor, and after a brief search, a letter was found dated nearly two weeks before. It was evidently his "ante-mortem statement." It referred to an incurable disease and averred an intention to commit suicide as soon as he could "spunk up courage." The handwriting was identified as that of McEwen, and a half-hour later the jury returned a verdict of death by suicide.

About the same time Otto Meyers drove into town with his employer's rig. He had left Bloomington early on the preceding evening, he said, to drive a commercial traveler to a town twenty miles away, and had stayed there all night. He was horrified to learn of McEwen's death, and there could be no doubting that his surprise was genuine.

Thus closed the incident, and it was nearly two weeks later that Meyers learned that, but for the sagacity of Franklin County's acting coroner he would have been subjected to the humiliation of arrest on a charge of murder.

HEALTH, VIGOR AND STRENGTH
FOR WOMEN.

In those few words is summed up the great work for women which is being accomplished by the St. Louis Medical Institute for Women in the treatment and cure of chronic weaknesses and distressing ailments peculiar to their sex. Medical science offers a vast field for investigation, and no physician can, within the brief limits of a lifetime, achieve the highest degree of success in the treatment of every malady incidental to humanity. The physicians of the St. Louis Medical Institute for Women comprise none but those who, early in their professional careers, abandoned the treatment of all ailments except Pelvic Diseases; and in this particular specialty they have achieved a rare and lasting success, as has been demonstrated in their unfailing record of cures.

It is unfortunately true that the majority of women are afflicted to a greater or less degree with some ailment or other that is designated or known under the general term of "Female Weakness." In many instances they imagine that they are suffering one from dyspepsia, another from heart trouble, another from kidney or liver disease and another from nervous exhaustion or prostration; and they treat and doctor without relief for these imaginary ills when, as a matter of fact, all these and many other of their complaints are only symptoms and reflex conditions caused entirely by diseases and disorders of the pelvic region. The unfortunate, suffering woman, because her ailments are misunderstood, gets no better, but probably grows worse by reason of the delay, wrong treatment and consequent complications.

In treating with the physicians of the St. Louis Medical Institute for Women, none of these drawbacks to a prompt and permanent cure are encountered. It has been well said that "a disease known is half cured." By reason of their long and varied experience these doctors are able to correctly diagnose each and every case that they undertake, and they are able to, and do in all instances, prepare a course of treatment and medication that is DIRECTED TO THE CAUSE OF THE DISEASE. As a result there is immediate relief from all distressing symptoms and a speedy and permanent cure is effected.

A sick woman has many advantages in placing herself under the treatment and care of the doctors of the St. Louis Medical Institute for Women. She will not be made the subject of experimental treatment, but instead, will at the outset receive a proper and careful diagnosis of her ailments and will have medicines prepared to meet the requirements of her individual case. And there will be no guesswork in regard to the character of medicines required to effect a cure, for the extensive experience of the Institute Doctors in treating Pelvic Diseases of Women enables them to prescribe a treatment in every instance that is as nearly infallible in its beneficial results as human agency can be made infallible.

It certainly stands to reason that the greatest possible benefit can be derived from treatment of this character, and a trial will convince the most skeptical of the truth of this assertion. Women who have treated and doctored and dosed without obtaining relief, as well as all others who are sick and ailing, are invited to consult the Institute Doctors. Their counsel is free, either at the office or by mail, and they will not undertake your case unless they are certain that they can accomplish a prompt and lasting cure.

In order to place their treatment within the reach of all, they will, for a limited period only, make the

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Including All Medicines Until Cured.

The ailments to which the Institute Doctors give their special and exclusive attention include the most complicated and obstinate cases of leucorrhea, excessive flowing, painful menstruation, unnatural suppressions and irregularities and chronic congestion, inflammation, ulceration or displacement of the womb, pain and tenderness of the ovaries and all reflex conditions and troubles that are either directly or indirectly due to diseases of the pelvic region.

There are signs and symptoms almost without end that indicate the existence of "Female Trouble," and among the more prominent and pronounced of these symptoms are backache, pains in the sides, difficult, frequent or painful urination, bearing-down sensations, nervousness, hysteria, headaches, insomnia and pains or tenderness of the ovaries.

It is very unwise for any woman to neglect her maladies from false modesty when proper and timely attention will relieve them, render life agreeable and prevent chronic invalidism. Those who are sick, ailing and discouraged, particularly those who have been treated in vain elsewhere, are urged to consult the Institute Doctors without delay, for a trial of their treatment by sick women is in every instance a positive assurance of victory over weakness and disease.

HOME TREATMENT BY MAIL.

Long experience in treating women at their own homes by correspondence enables the Institute Doctors to offer their treatment to all who are unable to visit the office in person. Each disease has unmistakable signs or symptoms which, when told to the scientific physician, point out to him the exact nature and location of the disease and enable him to choose the proper remedies to effect a cure. In seeking treatment by mail, it is only necessary that you should write a careful history of your case in your own language. Every letter will be carefully considered, fully answered and its statements held as strictly private and sacredly confidential.

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BREAD AND WATER HIS ONLY DIET

Strange Life of Wandering Son of Wealthy Parents.

HE SPOKE TEN LANGUAGES

LODGED IN BOWERY AND LOAFED IN THE PARKS.

Albert Lindmaier, Who Died in Bellevue Hospital, Was a German General's Son and Heir to a Large Estate.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, April 6.—An unknown man who died Tuesday at Bellevue Hospital has been identified as Albert Lindmaier, the wandering son of a wealthy and influential German family. He was a graduate of a German university and a linguist of remarkable ability.

The identification was made by August Essig, who said he had known Lindmaier and his family in Germany. The father died a general in the German army. One of the brothers was a professor in a German university and was a noted scholar. The mother had a large estate in Germany and was very wealthy at the time of her death not long ago. Up to that time, Essig says, Lindmaier got a little money from time to time from her.

Essig says he could never understand Lindmaier. The man spoke ten languages and wrote many more and was an "honor" graduate from Wurtemburg. He was so versatile that he could have made a splendid income had he chosen, but he would not remain at home. He came to this country and seemed not to have had a very large allowance from home, for he had to go to work. Instead of choosing something in keeping with his exceptional intellectual attainments he took a place as a sort of superintendent in a New York hotel and remained there a few years. Then he got a position in Delmonico's, but lost it through his erratic ways. This was five years ago.

After losing his place at Delmonico's, Lindmaier took upon himself a kind of penance and would use nothing but bread and water. He had his allowance still, but instead of having a room of his own he lived in Bowery lodging houses. Every night in the year when he went to bed he took with him a pail of water and two loaves of bread. That was all the food he had for five years. He would get up in the morning and go out into some park and read and ponder until night, when he would go to his Bowery bed with his pail and loaves.

Lindmaier became so thin, Essig says, that he begged him to take better care of himself, but the man paid no attention to him. Others often asked him about this bread and water mode of living, but Lindmaier seemed to be offended at the question and would beg them not to ask him about it.

When the man was taken to the hospital he was so weak and emaciated that he could not stand, and it is thought that this weakness caused him to fall and injure himself so that he died. His relatives in Germany will be notified.

He Had Good Officers.

During a recent smallpox scare in the south the mayor of a small town in Alabama took the extraordinary precaution of appointing all the conductors on city and suburban lines as quarantine officers, and all persons coming from adjacent infected districts were required to show a health certificate before being allowed to enter the city.

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JAMAICA PLAIN, Mass., April 14.

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TWO MEN IN CUSTODY

One of Them Is the Man Whom Mrs. Ross Says She Was Forced to Marry.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PINE BLUFF, Ark., April 6.—Messrs. Will Ross and Clyde Griffin, young farmers, living near Plumbayou, in this county, were arrested this morning on a charge of abduction. J. R. Kilgore, a prominent farmer of the same locality, is said to be implicated.

Mrs. Will Ross made the complaint which resulted in the arrest. She was formerly Miss Lizzie Ruhler, and claims that the three men compelled her to marry Ross on Dec. 5. She had disappointed him twice before that time, and arrangements had been made to have a tripple wedding, as Kilgore's daughter and another young lady were married at the same time. Miss Ruhler appeared at the Kilgore home, where the marriage took place, but before the ceremony she went home. The three men went after her, she says, and compelled her to return and be married to Ross.

Abduction is punished with death. The two young men were not admitted to bail. They waived preliminary examination and were held to the grandjury, which convenes April 23.

THE DRUMHEAD BUSINESS.

A Huge Long Island Industry Which Prospers by War.

Few people know that more than half the banjo and drum heads sold in the United States are made on Long Island. Near the railroad station at Cold Spring is a little red building surrounded by frames, in which skins are stretched for drying, while near by is an artificial pond, with wooden sides and bottom, filled with a chemical mixture. It is an unpretentious establishmunet, but in our two wars and in the peace between it has fathered a great deal of noise. The business was established in 1860, and success was almost immediate. Competition was strong after the rush of war orders was over, but the business has advanced in importance until now there are but three factories in this country whose opposition can be felt. Two of these are in Brooklyn, and the other at High View, New York state.

New York markets furnish the salted raw skins from which the drumheads are made. The hair is removed from the skins by a chemical bath in the artificial pond, and the skins are then stretched on the racks and dried. A thorough craping removes any particles or fat or flesh that may have adhered to the dried skin, which is then the thickness of parchment. The skins are thoroughly bleached in the drying process, and are then ready for cutting into heads. During the Spanish-American war the factory was fairly swamped with orders for drumheads, 500 dozen heads often being ordered at one time. The principal demand was for the "tenor" drum, on which a loud accompaniment to the fife or brass instruments can be produced. During the first four four months of 1898 the little factory used up 5143 skins.

Kangaroo skins make the costliest drumheads. When dressed they are showy, but beyond their appearance and name they are of no greater value than heads made from calfskin. Sheepskin is used for cheap top drums.—New York Post.

THE SEPULCHRE IN THE GARDEN.

What though the Flowers in Joseph's Garden grew
Of rarest perfume and of fairest hue,
That morn when Magdalene hastened through
Its fragrant, silent paths?

She caught no scent of budding almond tree;
Her eyes, tear-blinded still from Calvary,
Saw neither lily nor anemone—
Naught save the Sepulchre.

But when the Master whispered "Mary," lo!
The Tomb was hid; the Garden all ablow;
And burst in bloom the Rose of Jericho—
From that day "Mary's Flower."

—John Finley in Harper's Magazine.

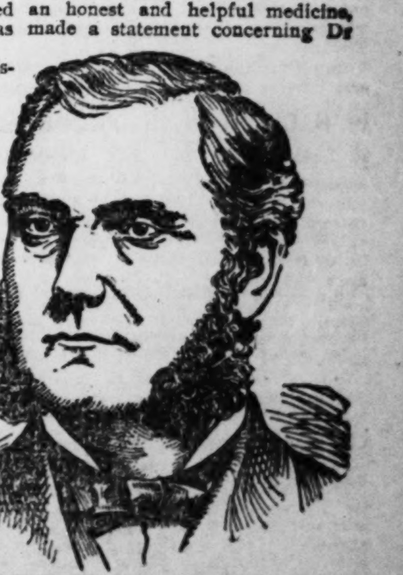
FROM THE HIGHEST COURT

Dr. Greene's Nervura Endorsed by Congressman and Ex-Judge Powers.

For the benefit of those who need an honest and helpful medicine, Congressman and Ex-Judge Powers has made a statement concerning Dr Greene's Nervura.

The Hon. H. Henry Powers, of Morrisville, Vt. is one of our greatest statesman. For sixteen years he was judge of the Supreme Court, and since taking his seat in Congress he has been conspicuous on important committees. He has also been State Senator and Speaker of the Vermont House of Representatives. Judge Powers' unqualified endorsement of Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy will be a help to many who are run-down in health this Spring, and who have not known where to turn for help. He says:

"I have found that Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy is a most valuable tonic, toning up the system and producing a condition of refreshment and buoyancy after long continued mental strain. I have heard it spoken of in terms of high appreciation by many responsible witnesses, and fully concur in their opinion."



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CAR STRUCK MISS JUDEVINE

Edith Judevine, a 19-year-old girl, whose home is in Phelps County, Missouri, and who has been visiting her aunt at 3224 North Eleventh street, was knocked down and severely injured about 11 o'clock last night by a car on the Broadway division of the transit company near the corner of Broadway and Buchanan street.

Miss Judevine had been downtown and alighted from a northbound car at Buchanan street. As she started across the other track in the direction of her aunt's home she was struck by a southbound car.

She was knocked down, but fortunately fell outside the car track. The motorman stopped his car half a block away, and the conductor, with Charles Noble, a passenger, walked back and picked the young woman up. She was placed on a car and taken to the North End Dispensary. There her injuries were found to consist of two severe scalp wounds and several bruises about the head and body.

Miss Judevine's aunt was summoned to the dispensary and after the injured girl's wounds were dressed took her to her home.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

FAIR AND WARMER.

Missouri—Fair and warmer today; Monday, partly cloudy; probably showers in southwestern portion; south to east winds.

Illinois—Fair today; warmer in southern portion; Monday, fair; fresh to northwesterly winds.

PLAN IS COMPLETED BY THE COMMITTEES TO LAUNCH THE FAIR

Company Will Be Incorporated With a Subscribed Capital of $5,000,000 and Authorized Capital of $6,000,000.

NAMES OF 90 DIRECTORS SUGGESTED

Only Subscribers Who Have Paid Ten Per Cent of Their Subscriptions in Response to the First Call Will Have a Vote.

Details have been arranged for the incorporation of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company with an authorized capital of $6,000,000, and a subscribed capital of $5,000,000.

Final plans were laid yesterday by a subcommittee appointed at a joint meeting of the executive, finance, legislation and legal committees Friday.

This company is to install and manage the World's Fair. There will be ninety directors, the Missouri statutes permitting a maximum of one hundred and a minimum of twenty-five. It was decided that while each subscriber should have one vote for each ninety men, he shall be prohibited giving ninety votes to any one man. Secretary James Cox was instructed to issue a circular to each of the 24,000 subscribers asking them to complete the payment of their 10 per cent and take part in the election of the directors.

With the circulars a voting slip will be enclosed nominating or suggesting the names who, it is believed, could best serve the company. Due deliberation preceeded the selection of these names. Only the votes of subscribers who have paid the 10 per cent first call will be considered. It is not essential that subscribers vote for all or any of these quasi nominees, but they are at liberty to vote for any ninety subscribers. The selections, as a rule, are from the largest subscribers, especially those who came forward during the winter, responding to the finance committee's call, and raised the last million dollars of the fund. The committes in charge of the preliminary work and promotion of the enterprise were desirous of having union labor recognized in the board. Suggestions from labor organizations will be solicited on this subject.

Following is the voting list of the nominees selected by the committee:

Pierre Chouteau, chairman of committee of two hundred.
D. R. Francis, chairman executive committee.
Wm. H. Thompson, chairman finance committee.
F. W. Lehmann, chairman legislation committee.
Jas. L. Blair, chairman legal committee.
Nathan Frank.
D. M. Houser.
C. W. Knapp.
John Schroers.
W. C. Steigers.
A. A. Allen, vice-president M., K. & T. Railway Co.
Geo. A. Baker, president Continental National Bank.
Nicholas M. Bell, vice-president Peper Warehouse Co.
C. F. Blanke, president C. F. Blanke Tea and Coffee Co.
W. F. Boyle, Boyle, Priest & Lehmann.
A. D. Brown, president Hamilton-Brown Shoe Co.
George W. Brown, president Brown Shoe Co.
Paul Brown, manager Brown Branch Continental Tobacco Co.
Adolphus Busch, president Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association.
James G. Butler, capitalist.
James Campbell, vice-president Laclede Gas Light Co.
Murray Carleton, president Carleton Dry Goods Co.
Seth W. Cobb, Cobb & Gardner.
James F. Coyle, Coyle & Sargent.
George T. Cram, president American Central Insurance Co.
John D. Davis, lawyer.
Alexander N. De Menil, capitalist.
S. M. Dodd, president Missouri-Edison Electric Co.
L. D. Dozier, National Biscuit Co.
Harrison I. Drummond, president Drummond Realty and Investment Co.
R. B. Dula, manager and director Continental Tobacco Co.
George L. Edwards, president A. G. Edwards & Sons Brokerage Co.
Howard Elliott, general manager Burlington Route.
S. M. Felton, president Chicago & Alton Railroad Co.
A. H. Frederick, vice-president F. H. Oliver Wall Paper Co.
August Gehner, president Title Guarantee Trust Co.
Norris B. Gregg, president Mound City Paint and Color Co.
W. T. Haarstick, president Merchants' Exchange.
A. B. Hart, capitalist.
Walker Hill, president American Exchange Bank.
John A. Holmes, president J. A. Holmes Lumber Co.
C. H. Huttig, president Third National Bank.
Breckenridge Jones, first vice-president Mississippi Valley Trust Co.
S. M. Kennard, president J. Kennard & Sons Carpet Co.
Goodman King, secretary Mermod & Jaccard Jewelry Co.
W. J. Kinsella, president Hanley & Kinsella Coffee & Spice Co.
Dr. J. J. Lawrence, proprietor Medical Brief.
W. H. Lee, president Merchants-Laclede National Bank.
William J. Lemp, president, William J. Lemp Brewing Co.
Thomas H. McKittrick, president Hargadine-McKittrick Dry Goods Co.
George A. Madill, president Union Trust Co.
C. E. G. Meyer, president Meyer Bros. Drug Co.
F. G. Niedringhaus, president National Enameling & Stamping Co.
W. F. Nolker, treasurer St. Louis Brewing Association.
D. C. Nugent, vice-president B. Nugent & Bro. Dry Goods Co.
Peter A. O'Neill, capitalist.
Ed S. Orr, general agent B. & O. S. W. R. R. Co.
George W. Parker, capitalist.
H. Clay Pierce, president Waters-Pierce Oil Co.
Joseph Ramsey, Jr., vice-president and general manager Wabash Railroad Co.
David Ranken, Jr., capitalist.
Jonathan Rice, vice-president Rice-Stix Dry Goods Co.
Clark H. Sampson, Corticelli Silk Co.
Julius J. Schotten, William Schotten & Co.
Isaac Schwab, president Schwab Clothing Co.
R. M. Scruggs, president Scruggs, Vandervoort & Barney Dry Goods Co.
John Scullin, president Wiggins Ferry Co.
A. F. Shapleigh, vice-president A. F. Shapleigh Hardware Co.
E. C. Simmons, Simmons Hardware Co.
J. E. Smith, second vice-president Simmons Hardware Co.
C. H. Spencer, capitalist.
Charles A. Stix, Stix, Baer & Fuller.
R. H. Stockton, vice-president Majestic Manufacturing Co.
J. J. Turner, general manager Vandalia Line.
Charles H. Turner, president Commonwealth Trust Co.
J. C. Van Blarcom, vice-president National Bank of Commerce.
Festus J. Wade, president Mercantile Trust Co.
C. P. Walbridge, president Business Men's League.
D. D. Walker, president Ely & Walker Dry Goods Co.
Julius S. Walsh, president Mississippi Valley Trust Co.
C. G. Warner, vice-president Missouri Pacific Railway Co.
W. B. Wells, manager Lincoln Real Estate and Building Co.
Charles F. Wenneker, president Wenneker-Morris Candy Co.
J. J. Wertheimer, president Wertheimer-Swarts Shoe Co.
Edwards Whitaker, president St. Louis Transit Co.
A. A. B. Woerheide, president Lincoln Trust Co.
W. H. Woodward, president Woodward & Tiernan Printing Co.
George M. Wright, secretary-treasurer William Barr Dry Goods Co.
B. F. Yoakum, president St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad Co.

It is also desired that the board shall include a representative or representatives of the recognized labor organizations to be selected by them.

ELECTRIC CAR FELL 30 FEET

Bridge Over a Canal At Syracuse Gave Way.

THIRTY PERSONS INJURED

HORSE AND LUMBER WAGON DROPPED ON THE HEAP.

Fortunately, There Was No Water in the Canal and All the Passengers Were Finally Extricated From the Wreck.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., April 6.—While a car on the old East Side Suburban line of the Syracuse Rapid Transit Co. was crossing the James street bridge over the Oswego canal in the heart of the city this afternoon, the bridge suddenly gave way, dropping the car and its 40 passengers to the canal bed, 30 feet below. Several persons who were crossing the bridge at the time went down with the car, while a horse and loaded lumber wagon piled on top of the heap.

About 30 persons were injured. It is not believed that any deaths will result, although there are reports of several of the worst injured being dangerously hurt.

Had the canal been filled with water, the result of the accident would have been terrible. The car struck the towpath, end first, and then slid off into the mud at the canal bottom, where it stuck. The water would have been deep enough to cover all but a few windows and the front door and many of the passengers would undoubtedly have perished.

When the crash came persons on the street called the fire department. Ladders were quickly lowered and the injured carried up and sent to their homes or to hospitals.

The bridge was about 80 feet long and 60 feet wide. It was broken sharp off at both embankments, the entire structure going into the canal.

BATTLE FOUGHT IN MANCHURIA

Russians Engaged With a Force of Chinese.

SEVERAL OFFICERS KILLED

AMONG THE RUSSION LOSSES IS ONE LIEUTENANT-COLONEL.

They Had Three Regiments in the Battle, the First, Second and Third East Siberian Rifles.

BERLIN, April 6.—A dispatch to the Cologne Gazette from St. Petersburg says hard fighting is reported to have occurred between the First, Second and Third East Siberian Rifles Regiment and several thousand of Chinese troops, between Kobantsy and Sinminting. The Russians lost a captain and several men killed and a lieutenant-colonel, several other officers and many men wounded. The Chinese lost heavily and retreated with the Russians, pursuing them.

The date of the engagement is not mentioned in the dispatch received.

KILLED IN A SALOON BRAWL

Man Supposed to Be Dominick Hunt Was Shot in Head by Saloonkeeper Hoffmann.

A man supposed to be Dominick Hunt was shot and killed in a row at 901 Biddle street early this morning by Simon Hoffman, proprietor of the saloon. Hoffman is locked up at the Carr Street Station.

Hoffman states that four men entered his saloon and, after refusing to pay for drinks, they started a disturbance. Hoffman fired his revolver. One bullet hit Hunt just above the right eye, killing him instantly. His body was taken to the Morgue.

A man known as "Shorty" Council is said by the police to have been one of Hunt's companions.

CHARLES BOBB LEFT NO WILL

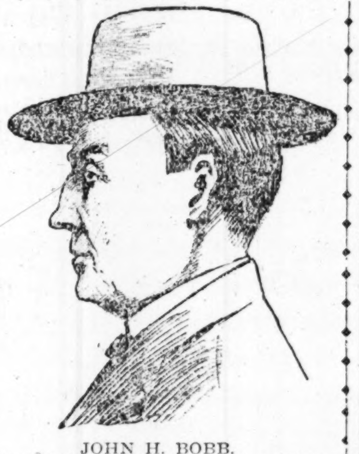
Son He Hated May Now Be His Heir.

THERE WAS NO RECONCILIATION

FRIENDLY FACTION OF THE FAMILY WILL ATTEND FUNERAL.

Litigation Which Broke Family Ties and Dissipated a Fortune Was Bitterly Contested for More Than Thirty Years.

A careful search yesterday through the papers of Charles Bobb, who died Friday night of a broken heart which is traced to the death of his wife six weeks ago, failed to disclose a will. Mrs. Julia A. Manning, his daughter, with whom he lived, at 3531 Lawton avenue, says she believes he did not leave any written directions for the disposal of his property.



JOHN H. BOBB,
Who fought his father in the courts for more than thirty years and whose enmity lasted until death claimed his opponent.

The omission gives his son, John, the right to share in his father's estate. A will could have excluded him from this right.

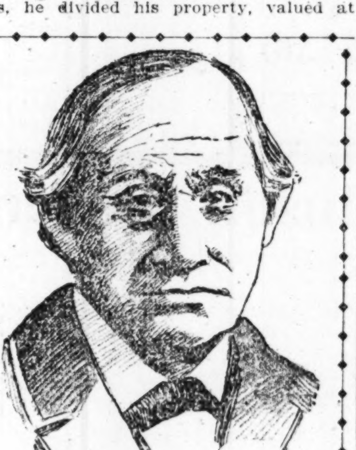
The children of his last marriage who were with him when he died say he never indicated to them that his feelings towards his son were changing, but they cannot explain why he did not deave a will, disposing of his property so that his son could "not get one cent of it," as he had often threatened to do.

Mr. Bobb did not mention his son's name when he knew he was on his deathbed, and John was not informed that his father was fatally sick.

The death of Mr. Bobb will probably bring to a speedy close the famous litigation of Bobb against Bobb, in which he was the defendant, and which has been maintained for 32 years at a cost of over $300,000. Students of legal history have pronounced this case the longest-lived in American courts, and say it has but few equals in the English courts, where long cases are of frequent occurrence.

How the Litigation Was Commenced.

The basis of the first suit was a trust estate which Mr. Bobb established in 1847 for the benefit of his wife and children when he entered the steamboat business. Knowing the perils which beset that business, he divided his property, valued at $50,000, into two parts and used one part as his own and the other as the trust estate. He prospered, and, upon retiring from steamboating, began to administer the trust estate with his own property, and the two became confused. In 1869 the two estates were worth nearly $1,000,000.



CHARLES BOBB,
Whose death may end one of the most famous cases in the history of American jurisprudence.

In that year John H. Bobb quarreled with his father over financial affairs and filed suit for an accounting on the trust estate, alleging that his father was indebted to him and the other children over $400,000. The case was referred to Judge Roderick E. Rombauer for examination, and, after working on it seven years, he rendered a decision giving the children judgment for $95,000. John H. Bobb purchased enough of the claims to aggregate $82,000 and began a systematic effort to collect them. Numerous suits were brought in attempts to reach his father's property. Some of them went to the Supreme Courts of Missouri and the United States.

The defendant said shortly before his death that he had been bankrupted by the proceedings. But his son continued to sue him on every excuse that presented itself. The aggregate of his collections is $30,006

Both father and son gave their personal attention to the litigation. Each knew every technicality that might strengthen his case. Both became learned lawyers through long association with the law as litigants.

Was Known by Many St. Louisans.

Mr. Bobb was one of the most widely known men in St. Louis. His striking figure was for many years seen daily around the most-frequented places in the city. He was of slight build, but his head was large and his face was like that the Greek sculptors loved to chisel. His silken hair, which was barely tinged with gray, hung over his shoulders. Despite his 91 years he walked erect. His sight was good to his dying hour and he never used glasses. His teeth were well preserved and his mental faculties remained true. His memory was phenomenal. References and dates, themselves of the most inconsequential interest, but important when used auxiliarily, were always at his tongue's end. He was an entertaining conversationalist and was an excellent authority on the early history of St Louis.

He was a native of Kentucky, coming to St. Louis from Louisville in 1810. St. Louis was then but a small trading post and his father prospered at brickmaking on the site upon which the Standard Theater now stands. He made other investments and was a rich man in a few years. When Mr. Bobb reached manhood, he also became a brickmaker and soon amassed a fortune, which he increased from time to time by profitable transactions in real property. He was maried three times. His first wife bore him five children, but three of whom are living. Two of them were hostile, while the other was friendly. His second wife died shortly after her marriage. His third wife lived until Feb. 27 last, and bore him four children, all of whom are living and will attend the funeral.

The funeral services will be conducted this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence by Rev. Dr. John W. Day of the Unitarian Church of the Messiah. [illegible] which will be private, will take place in Bellefontaine Cemetery.

Solemn High Mass.

At St. Teresa's [illegible] solemn high mass will [illegible] 10:30. The [illegible] "Mozart's Twelfth" [illegible] Donald, [illegible] quartet [illegible]

CANCER CURED THROUGH PRAYER

Sister Mary Laura, Afflicted for Eighteen Years and Given Up to Die, Was Miraculously Made Well in an Instant.

HER STRENGTH HAS RETURNED

When Her Life Was Despaired of, She Prayed Nine Days for Her Health and Believes the Cure Was Wrought in Answer to Her Petitions.

FACTS ABOUT THE MIRACULOUS CURE

(As detailed to the Post-Dispatch by Mother Justine, Mother Superior of the Retreat of the Sisters of St. Joseph at Nazareth, in St. Louis County, and by a representative of the Mother Superior of the Convent of St. Joseph in Carondelet.)

Sister Mary Laura was afflicted with cancer of the stomach for eighteen years.

For almost two years she was wholly incapacitated for work, and was compelled to retire to the Retreat of the Sisters of St. Joseph in St. Louis County.

During this time she was unable to dress herself without assistance.

For many years she subsisted entirely upon liquid food.

On her chest was an aggravated cancerous sore extending across her body.

About one year ago Dr. S. J. Will of Mehlville, St. Louis County, who had attended her for several months, gave up her case as hopeless.

One week after she was restored to health: she leaped from a buggy, entered the physician's office and gave him proof of her cure.

This cure was effected directly by prayer, after a novena, during which death seemed inevitable.

The cure was effected between the hours of 7 and 8 o'clock on the morning of Tuesday, March 18, 1901.

The Mother Superior of St. Joseph's Retreat, the Mother Superior of St. Joseph's Convent, Father Kernen, chaplain of St. Joseph's Retreat; Mother Seraphine of St. Paul, Minn., a sister of Archbishop Ireland; Sister Bernardetta of St. Joseph's Retreat, and other sisters, both of St. Joseph's Retreat and St. Joseph's Convent, are named as witnesses to the fact of the cure.

On the morning of her recovery, for the first time in years, Sister Mary Laura was able to partake of solid food.

She will resume her work in connection with the order of St. Joseph.

This cure was brought about through direct prayer to St. Joseph, the patron saint of the order.

Within the massive walls of St. Joseph's Convent at Kansas street and Pennsylvania avenue is Sister Mary Laura, a member of the Order of St. Joseph, who, in a single hour, was miraculously cured of a cancer of eighteen years' standing.

The cure was effected on the morning of March 18, at the House of the Retreat of the Sisters of St. Joseph at Nazareth, about five miles south of Jefferson Barracks.

The cure came in direct answer to a nine days' season of prayer, say the sisters at the Retreat, and their story, as told with the fullest detail, is corroborated not only by the Sisters at the Convent of St. Joseph, to whom Sister Mary Laura told the story of her wonderful cure, but by Sister Mary Laura herself, who is now at the institution, waiting to be reassigned to the work which her sad affliction forced her to abandon nearly two years ago.

That the condition of Sister Mary Laura seemed to be hopeless is vouched for by Dr. S. J. Will of Mehlville, a mile and a quarter from the Retreat, who attended her for nine months or more, and who relinquished the case, saying he could do no more, and by Dr. H. C. Harkins of 1619 Cass avenue, St. Louis.

For months she was unable to dress herself without assistance.

She could not move a muscle without severest pain.

Finally her condition became so that even a footfall in the room would cause her to start with agony—with the very refinement of human pain.

Such was the case at 7 o'clock on the morning of March 18

Less than 45 minutes later, according to Mother Justine, the Mother Superior of the Retreat, Sister Mary Laura was well—cured as if by magic—cured in a single hour—yes, even in a single instant.

Moved Her Arms and Dressed Herself.

She moved her arms, her head, her body. She sat up in bed. After a pause she arose, all the time crying aloud with ecstasy at her marvelous restoration to health, every instant praising God for the sudden transformation which had brought her back to life, to joy, to activity and to a sense of relief from years of suffering.

Where but an hour before there was upon her breast a raw and discolored sore, extending clear across the body, just above the stomach, when she tore away the bandages placed there so brief a time before, nothing remained but a white scar—a white scar which clothing did not affect, and from which even the pressure of a hand brought forth no responsive agonizing twinge.

"The day of miracles is not past," say the Sisters of St. Joseph.

One of the sisters at St. Joseph's Convent, the direct representative of Mother Superior Agatha, especially commissioned by her to give the facts in this case to the Post-Dispatch, made this statement:

"The surname of Sister Mary Laura while she was in the world was Kuhn. She is past middle age. She has been connected with the Order of St. Joseph for 20 years or more.

"For 18 years Sister Mary Laura was afflicted with cancer of the stomach.

"I first knew her several years ago when she was connected with the Convent of Our Lady of Good Counsel, at 1849 Cass avenue.

"For 14 years, although suffering great pain, she was able to attend to her duties as a sister of the Order of St. Joseph.

"More than two years ago the cancer appeared on the surface of her breast, and so intense was her suffering that in July, 1899, she became wholly incapacitated and was compelled to retire to the Sisters' Retreat at the settlement of Nazareth.

Medicine Was of No Avail Whatever.

"This is the place where aged, infirm or sick members of the order are cared for.

"During the whole of the time she was there Sister Mary Laura was able to do nothing except to attend to her religious duties, and that only with the greatest of difficulty. Every movement meant pain. Daily she made her way slowly into the chapel, that she might pay her devotions. There seemed to be nothing for her in life but suffering, which could only end in death. During the whole time she was there she had the best of attention, medical and otherwise. Whatever human hands could do to relieve her was done, but all to no avail.

"Sister Mary Laura came to the conclusion that she was to die.

"There seemed to be no escape. Human power was nothing. Death, to her, seemed the will of God.

"Her condition throughout this trying time would be difficult to describe. It must be remembered that she was in continuous pain. Not one moment of relief came to her worn body. The sore was dressed three or four times a day for two years or more. The weight of the slightest shred of clothing caused pain. Even a football on the floor, if it jarred her bed in the slightest degree, would cause her to start in agony. For many years—long years before she went to the Retreat—she has not taken a bite of solid food. A cracker was the heaviest thing that entered her stomach. She lived on liquid food entirely. She had no appetite. She never knew what it meant to be hungry. Her life was torture. It is difficult to conceive how it could have been more excruciating.

Sought Relief in Earnest Prayer.

"At last, Sister Mary Laura decided to test the virtue of fervent prayer. She called in Mother Justine and told her of her intention. The Mother Superior gave her her blessing and expressed the hope that her prayers might be answered. The matter was referred to Father Kernen, the Chaplain of the Retreat, and he granted the novena nine days of fasting and prayer, and it was made.

"The novena commenced on the morning of Saturday, March 9.

"Every day she fasted from 12 o'clock, noon, until 7 o'clock the next morning, not even tasting water, meantime praying fervently for relief from her condition.

"Sister Mary Laura became violently ill immediately after the novena commenced, and it seemed that she would certainly die.

"Every morning she made her way, with the greatest difficulty, into the little chapel, probably twenty-five feet from her room, where she received communion. This was at 6 o'clock in the morning.

"Day after day passed away, and day after day there was a renewal of prayer, but still there was no change in the condition of Sister Mary Laura.

"Such was the case on the morning of March 18, the last day of the novena.

"Eearly in the morning—between 5 and 6 o'clock—the place on her breast was dressed, still as sore as ever and causing her just as intense pain.

"When that was arranged Sister Mary Laura made her way into the chapel, determined to remain for mass, even though she should die in the attmept. When she returned to her room she was in a sad state. The prayers were nearing an end. The novena would be over in two or three hours, and still there was no relief.

"The mother superior spoke to her as she left the chapel.

"'It is no ushe,' said Sister Mary Laura. 'It is God's will that I should die.'

Marvelous Change Wrought in One Hour.

"'Do not be discouraged, Sister,' said Mother Justine. 'Tomorrow is the feast day of St. Joseph—our patron saint. If our prayers are not answered today, perhaps God will answer them then.'

"The mother superior went her way. About forty-five minutes later she returned to the room.

"Sister Mary Laura had fallen asleep.

"The mother superior noticed that there was more color in her face than usual. The sound of the entrance wakened the Sister and she opened her eyes. Mother Justine was astounded to see her smile, and still more mystified when she raised her arm—a thing she had not been able to do without intensest pain.

"'If you had your photograph taken this morning, nobody would believe you were sick,'" said Mother Justine; and with that she smiled and left the room, thinking no more of the circumstance.

"A few minutes later, fully dressed, Sister Mary Laura entered the room of Mother Justine, about 40 feet away.

"'I am well!" she shouted. 'It does not hurt at all! See, Mother, I am well!'

"Together they tore the bandages from her breast and there, to the amazement of Mother Justine, was nothing but a scar. The sore was gone. Even a firm pressure of the hand did not cause the slightest twinge. The change seemed to have come immediately. Undoubtedly it was the work of God.

"The joy of Sister Mary Laura was almost uncontrollable. She returned to the chapel and praised God for her marvelous restoration to health.

"'The day of miracles is not past,' said Mother Justine.

Her Body Became Whole and Sound.

"Immediately Sister Mary Laura became able to eat solid food. She was weak from her long diet and from lying in bed so many months, but she was able to appear at the table, to the amazement of the other sisters, and to join in the celebration of the feast of St. Joseph the next day, Tuesday, March 19.

"Two days later she came to the Convent of St. Joseph. She is here now. The distance is six miles. She was brought in a private conveyance belonging to the Retreat. She sat up, without pain, apparently as well as she had been eighteen years before, when she was first stricken.

"The sisters here have seen and know that the scar on her breast exists. I know how pitiful was the condition of Sister Laura before her miraculous cure. The Mother Superior of this convent knows. It is the work of God. The day of miracles is not past. We know that God exists and that He is omnipotent. Why should we not ask Him for that which we desire?

"Sister Mary Laura said to me the other day: 'This is the first time I have known the sense of hunger for years. I am wholly cured. It is the hand of God.'

"She is now here, resting, recuperating and rejoicing. Before many days, I presume, she will be reassigned and re-enter upon her duties as a member of the order of St. Joseph."

Concerning this case the following statements were made to the Post-Dispatch yesterday by Mother Justine, mother superior of the Retreat of the Sisters of St. Joseph at Nazareth in St. Louis County, and by Mother Adele, mother superior of the Convent of Our Lady of Good Counsel at 1849 Cass avenue:

BY MOTHER ADELE.

The cure of Sister Mary Laura was undoubtedly a miracle.

I first knew her about ten years ago, when she was here at the Convent of Our Lady of Good Counsel at 1849 Cass avenue.

At that time she was afflicted with cancer.

She was attended by Dr. H. C. Harkins, now at 1619 Cass avenue; by Dr. Papin, now deceased; by Dr. Wetmore of Waterloo, Ill., when she was stationed there as a teacher; by the physicians at the German Asylum, at Hogan and O'Fallon streets, and probably by others.

All of them pronounced it a case of cancer. None of them thought she would live.

Sister Mary Laura is of German origin. I think she came from Ohio. Her age, I should say, is not more than 38 years.

I know that for ten years or more she was not able to eat solid food. She was treated at the German Asylum about thirteen years ago. Even at that time it was not thought that she could recover.

When the cancer appeared on her chest she became so ill that she was not able to attend to her duties. About two years ago—I cannot be certain about the date—she was sent to the Sisters' Retreat in St. Louis County. I was mother superior then and had been for some time. I know that Sister Mary Laura was then afflicted with cancer. I saw the sore on her chest and know the nature of it. I know that she was sent to the Sisters' Retreat because of this affliction and that she remained ill until her recent miraculous cure. The details I obtained from Mother Justine of the Sisters' Retreat. Furthermore, last week I visited St. Joseph's Convent in Carondelet, where Sister Mary Laura is now stopping, and there I heard her story and saw and felt the scar on her chest which remained after the cure.

This scar is in the shape of a tree sending forth its branches and is about one-eighth of an inch deep. It is firm and white and there is no pain. The cure is complete.

Sister Mary Laura has been connected with the order about twenty years.

BY MOTHER JUSTINE.

When I came here last August as Mother Superior, Sister Mary Laura was very ill of cancer. I have known her probably ten years. I first knew her at the convent on Cass avenue. During the whole of last summer she was very sick—so sick that she could hardly move her body. In October, as soon as cold weather set in, she became a little better, but still it took her an hour or more to dress herself.

Dr. S. J. Will of Mehlville, a mile and a quarter from here, attended her before I came, but about a year ago he gave up the case, regarding it as hopeless.

Sister Mary Laura used to dress the sore herself, three or four times a day, especially in summer. The pain from it was so great that she could not bend her body in any direction. By using the greatest care she was able to crochet a little, but her hands soon tired. Her case was pitiful, and none of us thought she would live.

On the 8th of March she called for me and told me that she wanted to make a novena for her recovery.

"I will pray to St. Joseph," she said. "If it is his will and the will of God, I will recover."

The next morning her novena commenced, with the permission of Father Kernen, the chaplain of the retreat. She was compelled to fast daily between the hours of 12 o'clock noon and 7 a. m. Not even a drink of water was allowed. For eight days she was so violently ill that she could not attend mass, being able only to drag herself to the door of the chapel to receive communion. She sat on a chair just outside, for fear she would faint.

On the morning of March 18, after being assisted to dress, Sister Mary Laura said to herself, as she afterward told me: "I will remain for mass this morning, even though I die in the attempt. If St. Joseph wishes to cure me he will do so; if not, I shall die."

Mass was concluded about 10 minutes after 7 o'clock. Sister Mary Laura, exhausted, returned to her room, twenty feet away, and threw herself on the bed. She was greatly discouraged. "I believe I am going to die," she said to me. Every morning she had had violent spells of vomiting.

I returned to her room not more than 45 minutes later. Her face was flushed—almost red. She awoke as I entered and smiled. I remarked about her unusual appearance and left the room.

Only a few minutes later Sister Mary Laura rushed into my room exclaiming "Mother, I am well! It does not hurt at all! St. Joseph has cured me!"

She tore away the bandage and pressed my hand to her chest. Nothing was there but a white scar, extending all the way across. In shape it was like a tree with branches. She was entirely cured. Father Kernen was called in and he witnessed the wonderful change. So did Sister Bernardetta, who, between 5 and 6 o'clock that same morning, had dressed what was then a running sore.

Sister Mary Laura immediately became able to eat solid food. That very day she requested to be allowed to help wash the dishes. The next day she participated in the exercises attending the feast of St. Joseph, and the next day I drove with her in a buggy to the Convent of St. Joseph in Carondelet. She was visited there by Mother Seraphine, a sister of Archbishop Ireland of St. Paul, Minn., who had come down on business and who had heard of this wonderful cure.

On the way up we drove by the office of Dr. Will in Mehlville and Sister Mary Laura jumped out of the buggy and ran in to see him. He could hardly believe his eyes.

"It is marvelous," he said. He had given her up [illegible]

Mother Seraphine, Mother Superior Agatha of St. Joseph's Convent and [illegible] all knowing [illegible] inspected the [illegible] er Seraphine [illegible] years ago [illegible] she was a[illegible] of a miracle.

Her cure [illegible] It came in direct answer to prayer.

BY DR. H. C. HARKINS, 1619 Cass Avenue.

I have been the physician at the convent on Cass avenue for five years. I know Sister Mary Laura and treated her for cancer of the stomach. Her condition was so critical at one time that the final prayers were said over her. For three years she could take nothing but liquid food, and even that was refused for days, because it would not stay down.

I regarded her as wholly incurable. If she is well now, as I am informed, I can only say that I believe such a cure was wrought by supernatural agency.

The sore on her chest extended clear across and down, [illegible]

BY MISS TILLIE WILL, Daughter of Dr. S. J. Will of Mehlville, St. Louis County.

My father attended Sister Mary Laura for several months. He knew her condition thoroughly and did not believe she could recover. [illegible] recent recovery [illegible] at his office [illegible] cure was [illegible] cept through a supernatural agency, I am [illegible] who attended her.

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Stripe Figured Lawns; Columbus price, 10c; Our Price	5c
Fancy Stripe and Figured Dimitys; Columbus price, 15c; Our Price	10c
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	Our Price
Absorbent Crash, Columbus price, 12½c	5c
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Cream Pique, Columbus price, 12½c	
Turkish Towels, Columbus price 12½c	
Hand and Glass Linen Toweling, Columbus price, 10c	
Crash Skirting, Columbus price, 12½c; Our Price	7½c
Unbleached Linen Damask, Columbus price, 25c; Our price	15c
Fancy Curtain Scrim, Columbus price, 19c; Our Price	10c
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Turkey Red Table Covers, Columbus price, 50c; Our Price	25c
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6500 yards Hamburg Embroidery Edgings, 2½ and 3 inches wide; Columbus price, 7½c yard; our price	3½c
3000 yards Hamburg Embroidery Edgings, 3 and 4 inches wide; Columbus price, 8½c yard; our price, yard	5c
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16 pieces 9-4 fine Bleached Sheeting, Columbus price 22½c, our price	12½c
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2700 yards of Silk Soutache Braids, all colors; Columbus price, 3c yard; our price, per yard	1c
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Muslin Underwear and Corsets.

Ladies' Drawers of good muslin, finished with deep hem and cluster of tucks, have yoke band; Columbus price, 25c; Sale Price	12c
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Ladies' Gowns of fine quality cambric or muslin, in high neck and Empire style; elegantly trimmed with lace or embroidery, slightly mussed; Columbus price, $1.00; Sale Price	59c
Lot of Ladies' Corset Covers, slightly soiled, tight fitting and French styles, trimmed with lace or embroidery, Columbus price, 35c; Sale Price	17c
Lot No. 1—Ladies' Coutil Corset, good fitting, in white, drab and fancy colors, all sizes; Columbus price, 50c; Sale Price	25c
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FURNITURE. THIRD FLOOR.

200 Plate Racks, golden oak, worth $1.00— **39c**

50c Pedestals, Jardiniere Stands, oak and mahogany, worth $1.25— **35c**

9x12 Brussels Rugs, worth $16.00—this week, **$9.75**

60 extra large arm, cane seat Rockers, worth $3.00—this week, **$1.35**

Iron Folding Beds—worth $15—this week	$8.75
Extra large size golden oak Sideboard—this week	$9.75
Granite Ingrain Carpet—worth 30c per yard	19c
Brussels Carpet—worth 80c—this week, per yd.	45c
An elegant 5-piece Vel. Parlor Suit—worth $30—this week	$18.75
Handsome 3-piece Mahogany Parlor Suit, worth $19—this week	$11.75
Lot odd Parlor Reception Chairs—choice, each	$1.98
Lot odd Parlor Divans—worth up to $8.00—choice, each	$3.98
50 Golden Oak Cobbler Seat Rockers	$1.98
Rattan Rocker, large and comfortable	$2.98
Iron Beds, made best malleable iron—worth $3.50—this week	$2.25
Tapestry Covered Couch—worth $5.50—this week	$3.25

Notions.

10,000 Spools Black and White Hand and Machine Thread; Columbus price, 3c spool; our price, spool	1c
7500 Spools of elegant Silk Sewing Thread; 100 yards spool; all shades; Columbus price, 10c; our price, spool	4c
850 yards of Brush Binding, Black and Colored; Columbus price, 10c yard; our price, yard	3c
2250 yards of Fancy Garter Webbing; Columbus price, 8c yard; our price, yard	2c
575 yards of Black Cord Skirt Binding; Columbus price, 15c yard; our price, yard	4c

"Where Whole Families Can Trade"

MANY STARVING IN PORTO RICO

Conditions Worse Now Than Under Spanish Rule.

EXODUS TO OTHER ISLANDS

WHILE REFORMS GO ON BUSINESS IS STAGNATING.

People Still Oppose Payment of Fifteen Per Cent Under the Provisions of the Dingley Tariff.

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, April 6.—While sanitary and other reforms have been worked out and other beneficent reforms projected, unavoidable disaster and inexperienced administration have caused the material condition of the people of Porto Rico to be worse now than under Spanish rule.

In a number of districts the people are actually starving. There is no work. The planters have no money to undertake cultivation. The banks will not lend them even a small amount.

Stories are told of the immense opportunities for capitalists, but for some reason they do not seem to come here.

The municipalities have no funds and have failed in attempts to borrow the necessary money to conduct affairs or undertake improvements. The markets are paralyzed. The warehouses are full of tobacco. There is no sale for coffee. The people are denied citizenship and are left like prisoners on the island to starve. These things appeal to the people more than establishing schools and other reforms.

Utterly heartsick, the people gather at the wharves, gaze out on the water and beg of shipowners to take them anywhere. Thousands are going to Hawaii, Cuba, San Domingo, Ecuador and other islands. Agents are picking up skilled young men and women.

The local press urges the government to take action at once to stop the exodus. The emigration to Ecuador has been practically stopped because of the ill treatment received by those who have sought refuge there. Shipload after shipload of people are leaving for other places.

As a result of the trip of the Porto Rico commission to Washington, owners have been allowed to place their own valuation on property. The tariff requirements have been otherwise modified and less opposition is now made. The people still object to continuing the payment of 15 per cent under the Dingley tariff.

WOMAN WITH FOUR HUSBANDS

When Last Seen She Was Eloping With Another.

HE PAID $100 IN CASH FOR HER

THEY WERE ARRESTED AS THEY LEFT TOWN, BUT RELEASED.

Mrs. Rice Has Been Conducting Correspondence With Several Men Through a Marriage Bureau.

BANGOR, Me., April 6.—Daniel W. Ackerly of Beekmantown, N. Y., was arrested on the afternoon express for Boston, just as the train was about to leave, on a civil writ charging him with alienation of the affections of Mrs. Bertha Rice, wife of Edwin Rice of Bradley, Me.

The alleged matrimonial experiences of Mrs. Rice, which have developed since the arrest constitute a remarkable series of events. Mr. and Mrs. Rice were married at Bar Harbor in 1899, and have lived in Bradley ever since. Recently Mrs. Rice has, it is said, been conducting correspondence through matrimonial bureaus with men in various parts of the country, among them Ackerly, to whom, it is said, she sent her picture and many love letters.

A few days ago Ackerly came to Bradley and was astonished to find the woman married. She was equal to the occasion, however, and in the presence of both men told Rice that he was not her husband, but her deceased husband's brother, and accused him of having stolen the marriage certificate, which he exhibited to Ackerly, from her husband.

Rice went to Oldtown today to consult a lawyer, and while he was absent Mr. Ackerly and Mrs. Rice started for Orono to take the train. They were overtaken at Bangor and taken to a hotel, where, after a conference, Rice agreed to let his wife go along with Ackerly and call it square for the sum of $100.

Ackerly and Mrs. Rice had secured checks for their baggage, which consisted of two trunks and a bundle marked "Mrs. D. W. Ackerly, East Beekmantown, N. Y." The woman made all the arrangements in the baggage room, and after giving Ackerly the checks, told him she would leave him at a hotel while she went to purchase some trunk straps. Both were seated in the car when, just before leaving time, Deputy Sheriff Gould of Oldtown entered.

The man at first refused to leave the car, but the woman told him he had best go, and when outside the car made him give the check to Gould, so that the baggage could be held at the station until they were ready to go. They were then driven to a hotel.

Just before the 4:35 train for Waterville started this afternoon the couple appeared at the Maine Central Station to see if their baggage was all right to go ahead. Again Mrs. Rice took the lead and did all the talking. She informed the men there that they had fixed it all up by paying the man whom she had left $100. Said she: "No man ought to kick that can get rid of a wife and get $100 for her."

To a man who asked why she was leaving her husband, she said: "Oh, this one has got the money. Besides, the old one wasn't any good. He knew that this one had the money, and that was why he chased us up. This one is a deacon in the church, too, and that is something."

After a time she added, reflectively: "If I'd not made that mistake in the time table they never would have caught us. But, then, I had to do everything."

She stated that they were going as far as Waterville on the 4:35 train for Boston.

Since their departure W. H. Powell, Rice's attorney, is said to have discovered that when the woman was married to Rice she had three other husbands living, from none of whom she had obtained a divorce, so far as can be learned, and it is also alleged that the marriage to Rice was performed by a bogus clergyman. The alleged husbands, in order of marriage, are George Myshrall of Bradley, a man named Savage of Bangor, a man named Littlefield of Greenville, and Rice.

Letters found in the house occupied by the Rices today indicate that the woman also contracted marriage with a man in Wyoming.

MISSOURI'S GREATEST STORE.

Barr's ST. LOUIS

Easter Week Offerings

It is impossible to overestimate the beauty and variety of the goods now ready for your selection, so reasonably priced that we are fully justified in designating them as "bargains," though the newest productions and at the beginning of the season.

Our Cloak and Suit Department.

Has received large additions to its splendid stock within the past week. Knowing that this was the time to secure choice lots of high-class garments at very low figures in the Eastern markets, our buyer went on ten days ago, returning last week with all that was best of the goods offered there for sale. These goods we denominate as "specials," to be quickly closed out at a small advance on the low prices paid for them. Monday's selling will consist largely of these offerings.

A Sale of Misses' Suits.

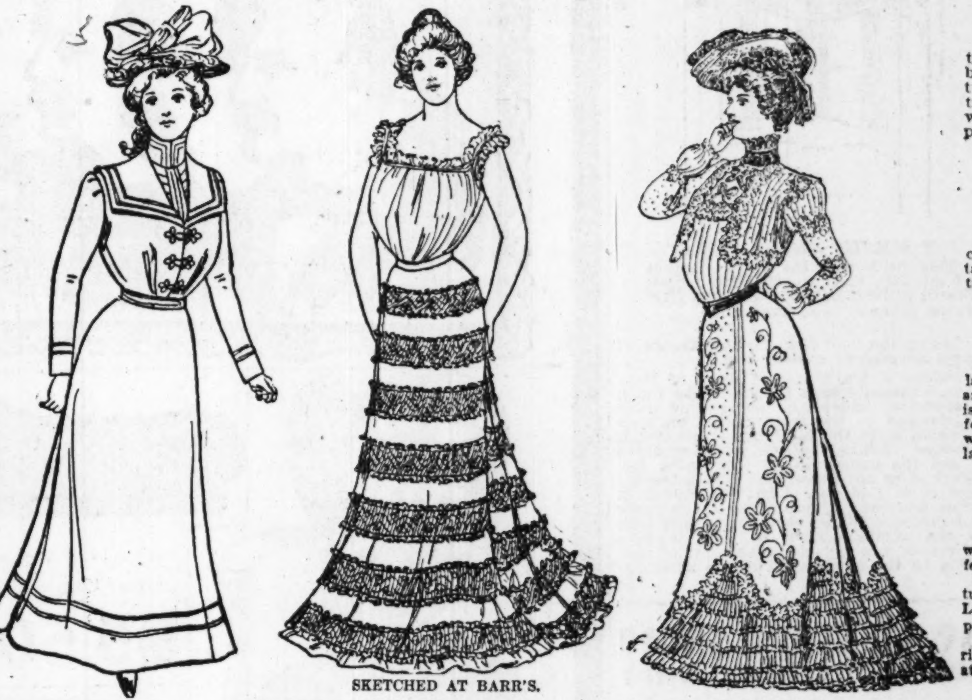
Tailor Suits for misses of 14, 16 and 18 years and small ladies of 32, 34 and 36 bust measure, beautiful new blouse, Eton and reefer effects, flounce and flare skirts, both plain and beautifully trimmed, over 50 different styles, all materials, all colors, grays, reds, tans, browns, castor and black; all the coats and waists are silk lined. Only three and four garments of each style, to be sold as follows:

$10.00 for $15.00 Misses' Suits.
$12.75 for $18.75 Misses' Suits.
$15.00 for $22.50 Misses' Suits.

Ladies' Tailor Suits.

Our purchases of Ladies' Suits during the past few days will aggregate 4000 garments. We do not intend to carry this heavy stock but a very few days. The purchase price ranged at 50, 66 2-3 and 75 cents on the dollar, and we therefore will place them on sale Monday at about one-third off. They comprise all the new Eton, blouse and Bolero styles, in all materials and colors, flare and flounce skirts, plain and trimmed, coats all silk lined and many of the skirts also, to be sold as follows:

$5.00 for $10.00 Tailor Suits.
$7.50 for $12.50 Tailor Suits.
$10.00 for $15.00 Tailor Suits.
$13.75 for $20.00 Tailor Suits.
$15.00 for $22.50 Tailor Suits.
$18.75 for $25.00 Tailor Suits.



SKETCHED AT BARR'S.

Silk Dress Skirts.

About 500 Silk Dress Skirts, bought at less than manufacturer's actual cost, best of black taffeta silk; many are beautifully tucked, others are trimmed with lace insertion, velvet ribbon and net applique; all are worth 33 1-3 per cent more than the sale price.

$10.00 for $15.00 Silk Dress Skirts.
$12.75 for $18.00 Silk Dress Skirts.
$15.00 for $22.50 Silk Dress Skirts.
$16.50 for $25.00 Silk Dress Skirts.

Ladies' Box Coats.

Many styles—all materials cheviots, coverts, broadcloths and Venetians—all colors, red, black, navy, tan, royal, brown and castor—all are silk-lined throughout—best of tailoring.

Prices, $25.00, $20.00, $16.50, $12.75, $10.00, $7.50 and $5.00.

Cloth and Silk Etons.

Without the slightest exaggeration we have the largest, most complete and up-to-date stock of silk and cloth Eton Jackets in St. Louis. Description is impossible, sufficient to say we show over 100 different styles in all materials and colors—with and without collars—plain tucked and trimmed with lace collars, both white and black linings.

Prices from $40.00 down by easy stages to $15.00, $12.75, $10.00, $7.50, $6.00 and $5.00

Silk Waists.

At $5.00—Over 50 styles of beautiful new silk waists at this popular price. Liberty satin and taffeta silks in all shades and styles.

At $7.50—Magnificent crepe de chine waists—tucked front and back. New bishop sleeves and L'Aiglon collar—colors: red, gray, light blue and pink.

We have these most desirable garments in a variety of materials, styles, patterns and colorings and at the following prices:

$10, $7.50, $6.00 and $5.00

New Shirtwaist Suits.

Monday we will make our first advance showing (and the first in St. Louis) and sale of the "New Shirtwaist Suits," which are to be the most popular of summer costumes. We have these most desirable suits in a variety of materials, styles, patterns and colorings, and at the following prices: $12.75, $10.00, $7.50, $6.00 and $5.00.

Ladies' Shirt Waists.

Of the beauty and style of our shirt waists too much cannot be said. Describe them in superlatives and we will prove to you that you have not exaggerated. Special lines quoted are likely to be quickly exhausted.

At $1.48—Ladies' Laundered Shirt Waists, in fine, fancy striped madras, the 1901 style, colors, pink, blue, old rose and green, sizes 32 to 42 bust measure; price $1.48, actual value $1.75.

At $2.48—Ladies' Laundered Shirt Waists, made of "Mercerized Pongee," with invisible polka dot, colors, blue, pink, yellow, green, old rose, gray, all sizes, regular value $3.50.

At $1.75—Ladies' Laundered Shirt Waists, the celebrated "Star" make, strictly tailor-made, all dainty patterns and colors, of fine percales.

At $2.50—Ladies' Laundered Shirt Waists, "Star" make, all made of fine French penang, white ground, with blue or black polka dot, the latest novelty in tailored waists.

A few interesting items in our

Infants' Department.

At 75c—Infants' Short Dresses, made of pink or blue striped gingham, short yoke, trimmed with insertion of embroidery and fancy braid; ages 1, 2 and 3 years.

At $1.00—Infants' Short Dresses, made of dainty colored lawn, short yoke, trimmed with ruffle, edged with embroidery; ages 1, 2 and 3 years.

At 48c—Infants' White Mull Shirred Caps, pleatings of lace around face, wide ties, actual value 75c.

At 50c—Infants' Caps, All-Over Embroidery, finished with pleating of lace around face, wide ties.

At $3.75—Infants' Reefer, box back and double-breasted front, made of fine cloth, large, fancy collar, trimmed with rows of fancy braid and buttons, colors old rose, cadet, castor and red, ages 1, 2 and 3 years.

Corset Covers.

A lot of Corset Covers (large sizes only) all dust soiled, reduced from 25c and 35c, to 12c each.

A Nottingham Lace Curtain Sale.

20 different styles in Nottingham Lace Curtains, worth $1.25 per pair, at 75c per pair.

20 different designs in Nottingham Lace Curtains, in very unique effects, worth $1.65, at $1.00 per pair.

20 different styles in Nottingham Lace Curtains, including Brussels and Renaissance effects, worth $2.25 per pair, at $1.35 per pair.

20 different patterns in Nottingham Lace Curtains, some extra wide, worth $2.50, at $1.50 per pair.

20 different patterns in Nottingham Lace Curtains, dainty as any Brussels point lace, worth $3.50 per pair, at $2.50.

100 pair Nottingham Irish Point Cluny Brussels and Renaissance Lace Curtains, only one and two pair of a pattern, to clean up lots 1-3d off regular price.

Corsets.

All the latest styles and lengths in the new straight front models, including "Tasso," "Isolda," "Vera" and "Redfern." All our own specials, and cannot be found anywhere else but at Barr's. Come in and let us fit you to any of these perfect fitting models. Corset Department — Second Floor.

Ribbons. Ribbons.

Biggest offer in Black Satin Back Velvet Ribbons ever made to the St. Louis public.

Width No. 1........................at **15c** per bolt of 10 yards.
Width No. 1, best quality...............**39c** per bolt of 10 yards.
Width No. 5..................at, per yard, **9c**; worth 15c.
Width No. 7..................at, per yard, **12½c**; worth 19c.
Width No. 9..................at, per yard, **15c**; worth 23c.
Width No. 12..................at, per yard, **18c**; worth 27c.
Width No. 16..................at, per yard, **29c**; worth 38c.
At **12½c** per yard—Black Taffeta Ribbon, 4½ inches wide, all silk; worth 25c per yard........................at **12½c** per yard.

Fans.

See our big display of exclusive novelties in Fine Japanese Fans, made of best quality of parchment and with either plain or decorated sticks. For first choice, come "This Week."

Prices, 25c, 35c, 39c, 45c, 50c, 55c, 60c and 75c each. Over 15 styles in this lot to select from.

New Black Goods.

Black is so emphatically the ultra fashionable hue this season and the demand has resulted in such a profusion of new weaves that we designate a few of the most popular to facilitate choosing:

Black Etamine—46-inch Black All-Wool and Mohair Etamine, $1.00.

Black Albatross—38 and 44-in. Black All-Wool French Albatross, 50c to 85c per yard.

Black Crepe de Chene—42-in. Black All-Wool Crepe de Chene, $1.00.

Black Etamine—43-inch Black All-Wool Etamine, 65c.

Black Challies—38 and 44-inch Black French Challies, from 50c to $1.00.

Black Broadcloth—50-in. fine quality All Black Wool Satin Finish Broadcloth, $1.25 grade for $1.00.

New... Millinery.

There will be a rare chance in high-class Millinery Monday. Sixty-seven new trimmed hats that should have gotten here before Easter and sold for $15.00 to $25.00 will, on account of the delay, be marked for after-Easterselling at..$12.00

Our new line of children's hats will be open Monday. This lot includes several new ideas that are especially attractive.

A splendid line of new medium-priced goods has just arrived. You can get a beautiful Hat, at from........$3.98 to $7.50

Our samples of Panama (real) hats are in. Get one early to wear with your shirt waist.

Upholstery and Curtain Dept.

Our Upholstery and Curtain Department is the most complete in St. Louis. No detail of home furnishing in these lines has been omitted, and we invite inspection of the beautiful goods displayed on this floor, confident the extent and variety will be a pleasant surprise to many who have heretofore gone abroad for high-class goods in these lines. New designs in Curtains, Bonnes Femmes and Bed Sets for the spring season of 1901.

Exclusive designs in Upholstery goods and Drapery stuffs, and novelties of great variety, embracing specimens of all periods, including l'Art Nouveau. Do not leave the store without a visit to our third floor.

THIRD FLOOR.

A Sale of

Door Hangings.

Our line of Portieres is now very complete, embracing all the latest novelties. Portieres with corded edges, Portieres fringed top and bottom. Also the new hanging, out this season, with cord edge and tapestry band trimming.

Fine Hangings and Draperies made to order. Designs and estimates furnished.

$7.50 Portieres, large range of patterns, latest designs and colors, at $5.50.

Beautiful cross stripe Portieres, fringed top and bottom. We have but 50 pair and can quote the price for Monday only. They are worth $3.75 per pair; while they last, $2.65.

New Portieres, in solid colors, with cord and band trimmings, at $6.75 to $27.50.

Portieres, suitable for summer or cottage use—splendid line, neat patterns—values range from $1.25 to $8.95 per pair.

We put on sale Monday the finest line of Portieres ever brought to the city, prices ranging from $15.00 to $22.50 per pair.

Cosy Corner Furnishings,
Oriental Carpets and Rugs,
Drapery Materials,
Furniture Coverings,
Wall Fabrics.

Our importations for spring comprise an extensive assortment of new and attractive specialties in the above goods.

Window Shades made to order. Estimates furnished.

New Swisses, New Madras,
Colored Fishnets,
New Cretons,
Door Panels, New Nets,
New Denims,
Sash Muslins.

Porch Curtains and Awnings.

Adjustable Porch Curtains, adjust from 5 to 9 feet in width, $4.50 each.

Adjustable Awnings, 2 ft. 6 in. to 4 ft., $3.00 each.

Adjustable Awnings, 4 ft. to 6 ft., $4.50 each.

A Few Bargains in

Rugs.

This week we offer you some exceptional values in Rugs. It will be to your interest to take advantage of the prices we are making this week.

250 Rugs, suitable for summer use, come in blue and green, size 30x60 inches, at $1.00 each.

100 Wilton Velvet Rugs, size 27x54 inches, a good, durable rug, at $1.35 each.

50 Smyrna Rugs, same on both sides, size 3 yards wide by 4 yards long, at $12.00.

50 Axminster Rugs, 4 ft. 6 inches wide by 7 ft. 6 in. long, worth $18.00, at $12.50.

100 Art Squares will be sold as follows Monday:

2½ yd. by 3 yd. at......**$2.25**
3 yd. by 3½ yd. at......**$3.25**
3 yd. by 4 yd. at......**$3.75**

China and Japanese Mattings.

All new, fresh goods, this season's importations. We will make exceptional prices this week.

100 rolls Heavy Jointless China Mattings at 16c per yard.

100 rolls Fine Japanese Mattings, cotton warp, at 20c per yard.

100 rolls Extra Heavy China Matting, jointless, the 45c kind, at 35c.

100 rolls Extra Quality Japanese Matting, in red, blue and green designs, worth 45c, for 35c.

Mattings will be scarce this season and it will be to your advantage to buy early.

A Special in

Gentlemen's Shirts.

150 doz. Men's Plain White and Fancy Madras Negligee Shirts, 1 pair cuffs, worth $1.00—tomorrow—Special price—

75c Each.

SPECIAL MATTRESS SALE.

Monday we offer you an All White Hair Mattress, made up in the best A. C. A. tick, weight 40 lbs., for $18. Monday only.

A Ten Thousand Dollar ($10,000) Purchase of a Large Importer's Entire Sample Line of

Fine Bric-a-Brac, Beautiful China, Rich Dinner Sets, Rich Hand-Painted Lamps and Globes, Etc., Etc.,

All Advance Shapes and Decoration, and Shown for the First Time in This Country in Our Basement on MONDAY, and

AT LESS THAN ONE-QUARTER THEIR REGULAR VALUE

The Sale Will Be Arranged in the Main Aisle of Our Great China Store—Basement.

CITY HALL CLOCK NEVER TICKS

Handless and Workless, It Looks Upon Twelfth Street, Above the Main Entrance, a Silent Commentary on Municipal Misgovernment.

Time has stood still at the City Hall since Mayor Ziegenhein and his official associates moved into the building three years ago.

Over the unfinished main entrance, in view of every passer-by on Twelfth street, is a clock which has never recorded the passage of an hour, and the calm inactivity of which has typified the progress made by the city government since the new City Hall has been occupied.

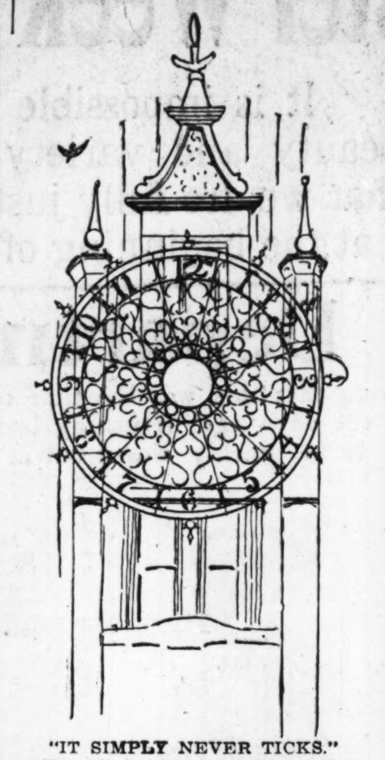
Unlike Longfellow's clock on the stairs, the City Hall clock does not tick, "Never—Forever." It simply never ticks.

Unlike some persons in the City Hall, the clock does not draw a salary when it is not working. It cannot draw a salary for it has no hands. It has never been placed on the street department rolls as an inspector, though it has inspected the pavement and railroad tracks of Twelfth street for years. It has gained no time, but it has also lost no time, and is exactly where it was three years ago. In this respect it has the advantage of some branches of the city government.

Behind the big clock dial, with its figures to which no hands ever point, is a large bell, whose tones have never been heard in the City Hall. Whether the bell has deep, alarming tones or light and mellow resonance of a wedding jingle no one at the City Hall knows. Probably not a dozen persons in the building know the bell is there, and if it should begin striking the hours some morning consternation would follow.

All that the clock lacks, aside from hands, is works. A few wheels and pulleys, properly put together, and time could go ahead at the City Hall once more. Even without the wheels and pulleys, the clock might be given a start toward fulfilling its mission. A couple of electric wires, properly connected, would send the hands around the dial and ring the big bell.

Beneath the idle clock and behind the silent bell are the unfinished parts of the City Hall. In front and in open view a scaffolding of rough lumber stands where a flight of granite steps should be. Where a fine driveway should approach the entrance the ground is roughly sodded. Inside, where a spacious court should greet the citizen, the floor has the appearance of a large abandoned mortar bed.



"IT SIMPLY NEVER TICKS."

This clock over the main entrance of the City Hall, on Twelfth street, is still without hands and works after three years of Ziegenheinism.

President McMath of the Board of Public Improvements says $300,000 would finish the entrance, inside and out, would pave the driveway to the front of the building and would start the big clock to recording the hours. Where the new administration will get the money to do this work Mr. McMath does not know, and will leave his successor to find out. That the standstill of time and the disfigurement of the city's finest public building should continue long into the administration of the World's Fair mayor are not to be thought of, according to the supporters of the new regime.

SPIRIT SENT GUARDIAN

MISS HOLLOWELL MAY SELECT HER OWN FOSTER-FATHER.

SHE WILL TAKE DR. COCK

He Maintains That He Has Been Told by a Message From Spirit Land to Protect Her.

POST-DISPATCH BUREAU,
1347 Pennsylvania Avenue.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—Dr. George B. Cock, who claims to have communications from the dead father of Miss Flora Hollowell, requesting him to become her guardian, today appeared before Justice Cole and was granted a hearing. Mrs. Maxim, the present guardian, declared that Dr. Cock was a believer in spiritualism and was seeking to entice the girl away from her by showing her alleged slate writings from her dead father.

The justice refused to hear these allegations and said the girl was old enough to select her own guardian if a proper person was named. He said nothing had been shown derogatory to the character of Dr. Cock.

Miss Hollowell declared that Mrs. Maxim compelled her to sign the petition which had resulted in the former appointment of a guardian. She had signed this petition against her will. She had frequently visited Dr. Cock and preferred him to Mrs. Maxim. Justice Cole announced that next Monday he will appoint some other guardian than Mrs. Maxim. One to be selected by Miss Hollowell will be named if not objectionable to the court.

PRINCE TUAN'S FATE.

Death Sentence Is to Be Commuted to Banishment to Turkestan.

BERLIN, April 6.—It is learned on the highest authority that Prince Tuan's fate has finally been decided. His death sentence will be commuted to banishment to Turkestan.: The list of guilty Chinese provincial authorities includes only four to be beheaded and several degradations. The Chinese commissioners are surprised that the guilty officials should escape with such light punishments.

Weak Eyesight

All imperfections of the Eye, Even Blindness, Cured Without the Use of the Knife.

A Wonderful Book and His Professional Opinion Sent Absolutely FREE TO ALL.

If any reader is afflicted or has a friend afflicted with cataract, granulated lids, cross eyes or any affliction of the eye, they can have that affliction pos-

DR. F. GEO. CURTS.

itively and permanently cured without pain or without the knife, through a mild medicine method originated by Dr. F. Geo. Curts. It is a home treatment, self-administered by the patient. Rev. J. M. Dinsmore, 1317 Penn st., Kansas City, Mo., says: "I have been under Dr. Curts' treatment but a short time, but from the good he has done me I feel warranted in saying that his Mild Medicine Method is scientific, safe and effective." O. B. Emerson, Rock Island, Ill., conductor on the C., B. & Q. Railway, was deaf seven years, but Dr. Curtis cured him in two months. This eminent oculist has just prepared a wonderful book, "Treatise on The Eye," appropriately illustrated, containing much valuable information, which will be sent absolutely free to those writing to Dr. F. Geo. Curts, 422 New Shukert Building, Kansas City, Mo.

WAS IT PLAGIARISM?

NEW PHASE OF THE ORATORICAL CONTROVERSY.

BISHOP HAS STRONG SUPPORT

There Is Little Evidence to Show That the Oration Was Not His Own Prediction.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

COLUMBIA, Mo., April 6.—The latest developments in the case of Emmet F. Bishop of Ravenwood, Mo., accused of plagiarizing the winning oration delivered by him at the inter-collegiate oratorical contest at Jefferson City before the last general assembly, puts a different light on the matter.

The charge against him was made by Tarkio College, whose representative, E. H. Thompson, won second honor in the contest. The evidence was deemed sufficient here, and Mr. Bishop was suspended from school while Mr. Thompson of Tarkio was declared the winner.

The latter will, therefore, have the honor of representing Missouri University in the pending interstate contest at Des Moines.

The evidence was considered conclusive against Bishop until the state oratorical association met in Kansas City Thursday to investigate the charge. Committees were there from Park, Tarkio, Central, and William Jewel colleges and Missouri University. After considering the evidence, resolutions were passed proclaiming the innocence of the accused, though conceding that as he was out of school he could not represent Missouri in the interstate at Des Moines.

The strongest evidence in favor of Mr. Bishop was his perfect willingness to submit his oration to the most rigid investigation both before and after the accusation was made. The oration entitled "Christ or Cesar" was written by him in 1898, and he has since delivered it on three occasions. The oration from which he was accused of plagiarising was entitled "War or Arbitration," and was delivered here in 1886 by a representative of Westminster College, M. H. Reaser, now president of Lindenwood College at St. Charles, Mo.

When Mr. Bishop was informed of the charge against him, he sent his oration to President Reaser and requested him to state if there was any similarity. The latter replied that there was some resemblance between some sentences, but highly commended the writer for his evident sincerity in submitting the matter to him.

Mr. Bishop was not accused of copying the entire oration as was at first reported, but only a number of sentences.

The feeling manifested in Columbia is extraordinary. At the outset a Bishop and anti-Bishop faction was formed; and since there has been a general clamor of conflicting opinion. The Bishop party has been greatly strengthened by the report from Kansas City and is searching for additional evidence of his innocence while the anti-Bishop faction abides by the decision, suspending him from school. When questioned today on the matter, Mr. Bishop was inclined to be reserved. He simply said: "I am not guilty of the charges against me. I will remain in Columbia and let matters take their course without taking active part myself."

MILLIONAIRE RICE'S BROTHER.

Texas Administrator of the Deceased Dropped Dead on a Train of Apoplexy.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

HOUSTON, Tex., April 6.—Capt. Fred A. Rice, a prominent citizen of Houston, died suddenly of apoplexy this afternoon on the train while returning from Galveston to this city. He was talking to a friend who was sitting beside him when he suddenly fell from his seat and expired immediately.

The deceased was a brother of William Marsh Rice, the dead millionaire, for whose murder Albert T. Patrick is now on trial in New York. In what is known as the Baker will of the dead millionaire, Capt. F. A. Rice was bequeathed $50,000 and a very much larger sum in the Patrick will. He had just been appointed permanent administrator of his brother's estate in Texas, which is valued at about $2,000,000. His death will reopen the question of the appointment of a permanent administrator for this immense estate. Deceased was 60 years old.

English a la Milanese.

From the London Daily News.

The alms box in a certain house of religion in Milan, much visited by English travelers, displays this legend: "Appele to Charitables. The Brothers, so-called, of Mercy ask slender arms for the Hospital. They harbour all kinds of diseases, and have no respect to religion.

King Edward and His Bike.

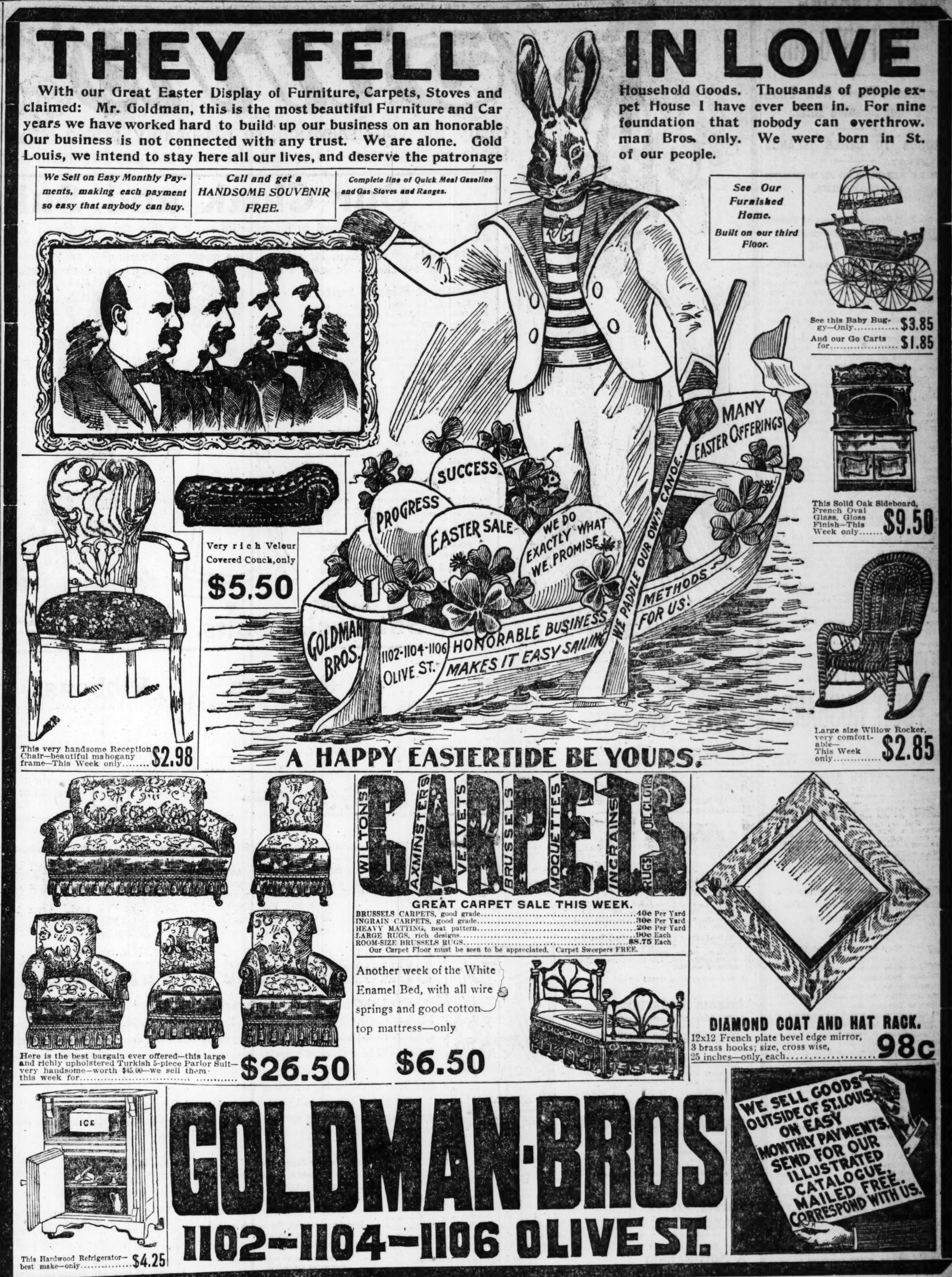
From the Chicago Journal.

King Edward has resumed the use of his bicycle. Fancy a king on a bicycle! Well, when it comes to that, fancy a king!

An Inalienable Right.

From the Savannah News.

A lady in New York is suing her husband because he would not let her talk to him.



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SITUATION MUCH SIMPLIFIED

Powers Will Now Assist Russia in Her Policy of Reforming the Chinese Conditions.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—The opinion prevails among officials here that the excitement reported as existing in Japan over the Manchurian question and the talk of ultimatums is all based upon a statement of affairs that existed before the delivery of the Russian note yesterday to Secretary Hay. A simple calculation assures them that the Japanese could not have known of the last note when the belligerent publications were made in Japan. It is, therefore, believed that when the tenor of the note is learned, and the Japanese find that the proposed secret treaty has been abandoned, they will accept the situation with satisfaction.

Sooner or later this note is sure to find publicity, for it is necessary to make up the record of the case, but the time is not now auspicious.

No doubt is entertained here that the secret treaty is no longer to be feared, and already attention is being directed to the next step. The ministerial council at Pekin is believed to have temporarily suspended meetings, and the Manchurian problem is the sole object of interest at present, so far as China is concerned.

The suggestion has been made that Russia, having established the correctness of her intentions as to Manchuria, the powers shall meet her half way in her reformatory movement and undertake to assist her in securing the assent of China for the adoption of such precautionary measures as may be necessary to safeguard what are recognized by them as purely Russian interests in that province. In that case and such a suggestion may come from the United States) there would be nothing more required than a straightforward and open statement by Russia of the conditions sought to be laid down and with a recognized uprightness of purpose behind these, the powers, it is believed, would surely give their support.

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He Ran Away Just in Time and the Whole String Was Torn Into Kindling Wood.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

GAINESVILLE, Tex., April 6.—At Bowie, Tex., 30 miles west of Gainesville, 31,000 pounds of giant powder exploded in a box car. No one was seriously hurt, but the property damaged will amount to $40,000 or $50,000. The explosion was at the crossing of the Rock Island and the Denver railroads, a half mile south ofthe depot.

The car was in a string of five on a siding. The car next to it was loaded with hay. The hay caught fire. A train crew, knowing of the powder, endeavored to draw the car away. A brakeman succeeded in uncoupling the powder car when one car of the powder exploded. Warned by this he gave up the attempt and ran. For some reason the rest of the powder did not explode simultaneously with the first car. The brakeman had retreated 200 yards when the whole carload exploded. The brakeman was thrown to the ground and he remained stunned several hours, but was not seriously hurt.

The report of the explosion can be compared to no other noise heard there. It was terrific. People several blocks away were thrown to the ground and houses were shaken as if by an earthquake. Fifty-nine windows in the school building alone were broken. The five cars on the side track were burned.

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PINKERTON TELLS THE STORY

PLOT LAID BY BAND OF AMERICAN FORGERS.

How Negotiations for Its Return Were Begun, Postponed, and Finally Brought to Success by the Well-Known Gamester.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, April 6.—Like a tale from Gaborîau reads the story of how Gainsborough's portrait of the Duchess of Devonshire was stolen and then mysteriously returned to its rightful owners through the instrumentality of the Pinkerton detective agency. The Post-Dispatch dispatches today told some of the facts.

"Bob" Pinkerton tonight told a Post-Dispatch correspondent many of the details leading up to the robbery .It is a story of murder, robbery, forgery and burglary, culminating in the theft of the picture. There's nothing like it in fiction. Mr. Pinkerton said, "and if I was not familiar with the facts I would scarcely believe it myself."

Pinkerton refuses to reveal the name of the man who returned the picture.

"He is now married and has raised a family, which is moving in fairly good social circles both here and abroad," said he. It is believed he referred to Joe Riley, alias "Jo Elliott," who was once the husband of the well-known actress, Kate Castleton, or James Wilmont, alias "Mysterious Jimmy" or Adam Worth. He did say the man was living under an assumed name.

Shining out clear and bright is the part "Pat" Sheedy, Gentleman Gambler," has played in the recovery of the painting. Still, when seen tonight he repeated his smiling answer to a request for more details. "Nothing doing." He neither denies nor confirms the story. But it is known that he brought about its recovery and is to get as his reward a simple little white paper print of it when it has been engraved on copper. All gamesters are not "Pat" Sheedys.

Sheedy Knows, but Will Not Tell.

Sheedy has remained most modest since the news of the recovery became public. Clean shaven, clear eyed and debonair as usual he beamed all over in one expansive smile when seen tonight, and remarked: "Nothing doing, nothing doing."

"But it is asserted that you are the man who brought about the recovery and took an important part in the return of the canvas to the owner," he was told.

"Nobody has been authorized to say that or to use my name in any manner," Sheedy replied.

"But you will not say you are not the man?"

There was another smile and a repetition of "Nothing doing."

"I will neither affirm nor deny," he continued.

"Will you reveal the identity of the man who took the picture?"

Then Sheedy became grave for a moment. "I know the man who took the picture," he said, "so do the police, so do the Pinkertons. But, my dear man, Pat Sheedy never betrayed a man in his life. Secrecy was the one condition imposed before the picture could be recovered. Rather than tell what I might know about the case I would lie in prison for the rest of my life. I would rather be torn limb from limb.

"Nobody has the authority to use my name, because I realize that a stigma might attach to a man for connection with an affair of this kind. I know the man who took the picture, but I won't say how I know it."

Then Mr. Sheedy added with his quizzical laugh: "What should I know about pictures? I am not an art critic. My ability in the line of criticism lies entirely in my ability to judge a good beefsteak when I see one."

Sheedy's Discovery of the Painting.

Sheedy came into the case a quarter of a century ago. He is a great friend of the Pinkertons. They told him to keep his eyes open for it. In the fall of 1897 he was in Constantinople. A man supposed to be one of the chief persons engaged in the theft of the painting was there too, a prisoner charged with passing forged paper. He escaped and was held for ransom by a Greek who had aided him to gain his freedom.

This thief heard that Sheedy was in Constantinople. He lost no time in sending a Greek to him to tell him of his plight and with the request that he call as soon as convenient. On getting the message Sheedy said to the messenger:

"I don't know what you mean. I don't know any such person."

"Ah," said the Greek, "but he knows you. You a prominent American. He want to see you very much."

"All right," said Sheedy. "You go back and tell him to write the name by which I know him on a slip of paper, put it in an envelope and seal it and you bring it to me. If I find I know him I will call upon him."

In an incredibly short time the Greek was back with a sealed envelope. The American opened it and at once recognized the name as belonging to a man who, years before, had rendered him assistance when he needed it badly. Sheedy lost no time in following the Greek to where his acquaintance was held a prisoner for ransom. He secured his friend's release, smuggled him on a steamer leaving Constantinople the next morning for Smyrna. Sheedy asked his friend about the picture.

"Oh, —— the picture," said the thief. "I wish it were in the bottom of the sea. It's been nothing but a white elephant on my hands since I had it. It's now in storage in America. I'm broke in Turkey and nothing doing with the picture."

"I'll move it for you," said Sheedy.

"Ah," said the thief, smiling, "that's an old story now. It's been tried often and failed."

"You know me well enough," said Sheedy, "to know that when I tell you I will do a thing that I will come pretty nearly making it good. I tell you I'll lift that white elephant for you and I will."

Sheedy tried to make terms for the fellow, but failed. A few months ago the matter was again taken up by Sheedy with successful results.

History of the Famous Picture.

The stolen Gainsborough has had a remarkable history. The picture was first exhibited at the Royal Academy in London in 1783. It attracted attention at once and was bought by a Mrs. Magennis. In 1839 a man named Bentley, a picture restorer, bought the portrait from Mrs. Magennis for £50. In the same year Bentley sold the picture to Wynn Ellis, an art collector, for £64. It remained the property of Mr. Ellis until his collection was put up for sale at the rooms of the famous art auctioneers, Christie, Manson & Woods. The sale began on the evening of May 6, 1876. It had been well advertised. Royalty, nobility and rich commoners were present. The first bid was £1000; that was quickly raised and finally Mr. Agnew and Mr. Christie fought each other at £50 a clip until £10,000 ($50,000) was bid by Agnew.

Then the picture was placed on public exhibition. One night it was stolen. Thieves having entered through a window.

The story of the theft, related by Robert Pinkerton, was as follows: "The portrait was stolen May 16, 1876, by one of a gang of American crooks, who after fleecing all countries of Europe came to grief in London. One of their number had been arrested in France and money was needed to get him out of prison. For this purpose the painting was stolen, but only after a woman, the wife of the leader of the gang, who it was thought would tell the police of the plot to steal the picture, was killed. She was found dead in her apartments a month before the actual theft of the painting. At the time the painting was the talk of London, because of its recent sale at auction for an immense sum.

"Her husband, who had been deserted by his comrades, died in a Turkish prison shortly after his wife's murder."

The Gang of American Thieves.

Of the seven members of the gang who were concerned in the theft of the valuable painting only two are now alive.

The man who restored the painting to its owner, receiving a ransom of $25,000, is supposed to be the one of the two surviving members of the gang.

In August, 1872, four crooks of national reputation met in Washington and agreed upon a series of extensive burglaries throughout the country. Their itinerary began at Baltimore, where on August 13 the Third National Bank of that city was robbed of a great many thousands of dollars. Then one of them, Elliott, passed a forged check for $64,000, alleged to have been drawn by the New York Life Insurance Co. He escaped to London. Later when arrested there he offered to return the Gainsborough if Pinkerton would release him.

So active was the pursuit of the robbers that before they could carry out their original plan they were forced to leave the country. The gang met in London in the spring of 1873 and decided to carry out their original program in England and on the continent.

The crooks who composed this gang were:

Joseph B. Chapman, alias Little Joe.
Joe Riley, alias Joe Elliott.
Charles Becker, alias the Dutchman.
James Wilmont, alias Mysterious Jimmie.
Adam Worth and Carlos Suskovitch. The latter had been picked up in London and was a notorious Russian criminal. The syndicate by forgeries and burglaries reaped enormous sums of money.

All the proceeds of the syndicate was sent to Mrs. Chapman, the wife of the leader of the gang, who kept a boarding house in London. It was not till the fall of 1873 that the gang encountered any difficulty. They were then operating in Constantinople, and four members were arrested. They were Chapman, Riley, Becker and Suskovitch.

The four men were placed in jail in Sigurnia from which Becker, Riley and Suskovitch managed to escape by bribery, after serving two years of their sentence.

The three members returned to London and made an effort to recover their share of the proceeds of the years of crime from Mrs. Chapman. Mrs. Chapman, who had been the wife of a notorious English burglar, known to the police of every country as "Two to One," angered because of the desertion of her husband by them, refused to turn over any of the money.

The three men were broke, and had to have money.

In their dilemma one of the three suggested "turning a trick" in France. He went there and was arrested. Now money was needed more than ever.

It was then that the plot to steal the famous Gainesborough painting was conceived. That was in April, 1876. The attempt was made to secure money from Mrs. Chapman, but she was obdurate and would not produce it. On April 13 the body of Mrs. Chapman was found in her apartments. She had been drugged and murdered.

All her jewelry and money had been taken. Subsequent investigation leads those who know the details to believe that the gang suspected Mrs. Chapman knew of the plot to steal the picture and in consequence was killed.

After the death of Mrs. Chapman the picture was stolen and subsequently brought to this country and kept in various storage houses, finally finding its way to Chicago. After the theft of the picture the gang dispersed. The Dutchman was arrested in France was released on a technicality and came to America. He was followed by Suskovitch who died in a Cincinnati prison. Chapman died in the Turkish jail.

Riley came to this country, as did also Worth. He reformed and afterwards married Kate Castleton, an actress. She secured a divorce from him after a few years of married life.

Becker is now serving a term of eight years in the San Quentin prison in California. He was convicted four years ago with James Cregan for a $20.000 forgery on the Nevada Bank of San Francisco. He received a life sentence, but was subsequently granted a new trial and pleaded guilty under an arrangement with the government. He then received a sentence of eight years.

Under the agreement with the federal authorities Becker is to give the secret service, at the expiration of his term, the benefit of his experience.. He is the only man in the world that can manufacture bank note paper equal to that issued by the treasury department. He claims that he can prevent any further forgeries by use of raised checks.

What became of Worth or Wilmont Mr. Pinkerton did not say.

NEWS NOT HEARD IN LONDON.

Recovery of the Gainsborough Painting Not Fully Credited.

LONDON, April 6.—Inquiry at the art establishment of Thomas Agnew & Sons, from which the Gainsborough portrait of the Duchess of Devonshire was stolen in 1876, elicited the response that nothing was known by the firm of the reported recovery of the picture in Chicago. Stories of the discovery of the missing portrait have recurred at frequent intervals ever since the picture was stolen.

Lockett Agnew, a partner in the firm, did not appear surprised when told of the finding of the painting. He said the picture had been so often recovered that he was not prepared to believe it until quite sure that such was the fact. His cousin, Charles Moreland Agnew, had privately cabled from Chicago that he had bought a Gainesborough.

"That perhaps is the origin of today's story," said Mr. Agnew, "so I will not pronounce an opinion until I see the picture in Bond street. I should be glad indeed to see the picture back again, if only to contradict the story that we ourselves destroyed it. We have been following clews for 10 years past. My uncle and father were members of the firm at the time of its disappearance. Father has been dead some years and uncle died years ago. They completely gave up hope. I, myself, have been hopeful of its recovery. Father was deceived four times in regard to the recovery of the picture. Anything like the picture has always been said to be the original. Inspector Froest of Scotland Yard has been as near it as any man. If it is true the picture has been found it is singular that he did not mention the fact when he was in Bond street last week."

Though Mr. Agnew tried to discredit the news, it was evident that he was aware it was more than likely to be true. Mr. Agnew never desired to contradict the statement that the firm offered a reward of £5000 last year. He explained that when on the track of two mysterious individuals the firm offered a reward of £1000, stipulating that the channel for the restoration of the pictures must be quite legal.

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GREAT TEMPLE OF SCIENCE.

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NEW YORK, April 6.—An announcement of great interest to the scientific circles of the metropolis was made today by the council of the scientific alliance of New York. For the past ten years the scientific alliance has been considering the subject of the erection of a building which should cause the various scientific societies composing the alliance to unite and give them the facilities for the advancement of original research which they have needed; but, owing to unpropitious times, no substantial progress has hitherto been made.

The plan which is now announced has been under advisement for some time and contemplates the erection of a temple of science costing half a million dollars. The project is commended to the public over the signatures of a distinguished committee of co-operation, consisting of Andrew H. Green, chairman; Andrew Carnegie, ex-Mayor Abram S. Hewitt, Samuel Sloan, chairman of the board of directors of Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad; William E. Dodge, Edward D. Adams, John S. Kennedy, Frederick W. Devoe, J. H. Ampton, D. Willis James and Col. John J. McCook.

The scientific alliance is composed of the New York Academy of Sciences (the oldest scientific society in New York), the Torry Botanical Club, the New York Microscopical Society, the Linnaen Society of New York, the New York Mineralogical Club, the New York Section of the American Chemical Society and the New York Entomological Society. The building is to be to them what Burlington house in London is to the Royal, the Geological, the Chemical, the Antiquarian, the Astronomical and the Linnaen societies, which make their homes therein, or what the Palais de l'Institute in Paris is to the four academies of Belles Letters, sciences, beaus arts and sciences morales, et politiques.

We Ought to Give Thanks.

From the New Haven Register.

There are reasons why a special period of thanksgiving should be entered upon. We refer to our freedom from political complications in Chi[illegible]

LOST SON RESTORED

AFTER THIRTY-ONE YEARS B. F. HICKS FOUND HIS FAMILY.

STOLEN WHEN A CHILD

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

POPLAR BLUFF, Mo., April 6.—B. F. Hicks of Obion, Tenn., was reunited a few days ago with his mother and three sisters at Agee, this county, after an absence on his part of 31 years. When 5 years of age Mr. Hicks, it is stated, was stolen from his parents. In latter years he was told and believed that his parents were dead.

He is the proprietor of a barber shop at Obion and recently a customer incidentally spoke of Ash-Hill, this county, from whence he was stolen. The name of the town was recalled by Mr. Hicks and he was induced to correspond with Judge Bennett Wright and Lee F. Little, two prominent citizens of Ash-Hill. Through the correspondence it was arranged that Hicks shou'd come to Mr. Little's residence and there he met the surviving members of his family, all of whom live in this vicinity.

DEATHS.

BURKE—On Friday, April 5, 1901, at 11 p. m., Bridget Burke (nee Geraghty), aged 24 years, beloved wife of John Burke and sister of Nellie and Nora Geraghty and Mrs. Marie Krins.

Funeral from family residence, 4372 Chouteau avenue, Monday, April 8, at 2 p. m., to St. Cronan's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends of family invited to attend.

DALY—On Friday, April 5, at 5 p. m., Patrick Daly, aged 62 years, beloved husband of Johanna Daly and father of James, Patrick, William and Mary Daly and Mrs. Maggie Thompson (nee Daly).

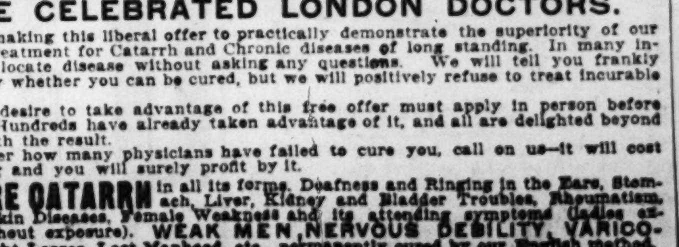
Funeral from family residence, 1534 Bacon street, on Sunday, at 1:30 ap. m., to St. Teresa's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. New York papers please copy.

MRS. POTTER'S NEW ROLE.

The Play, Say the Critics, Is Not Likely to Be a Success.

LONDON, April 6.—What is described as a mystic farce by Russell Vaughan was produced by Willie Edouin at the Avenue Theater tonight, with Mrs. James Brown Potter as the star.

Mrs. Potter's role is that of an Egyptian priestess brought to life in the 20th century and causing a domestic upheaval in a commonplace household. The play is without redeeming features, say the critics, and is not likely to score a decided success. Mrs. Brown Potter herself was well received by a friendly house.



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DEATHS.

EAGAN—Entered into rest on Thursday, April 4, at 9:30 p. m., Mary Eagan, beloved wife of Michael Eagan and mother of Mary, Maggie, James and John Eagan and Mrs. Lee Mathews.

Funeral from family residence, 2314 Biddle street, on Monday, April 8, at 8 a. m., to St. Bridget's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited.

GENTRY—Entered into rest, Saturday morning, April 6, 1901, Mrs. Mary Lee Gentry (nee Payne), wife of William R. Gentry.

Funeral Monday, April 8, at Mizpah Church, Pattonville, St. Louis County, at 10 a. m. Friends in city take Easton av. cars to Wellston, and there take St. Louis, St. Charles & Western cars, running every half hour.

HEITKAMP—On Thursday, April 4, at 6 p. m., after a lingering illness, Adelle Heitkamp, beloved daughter of Fred and Minnie Heitkamp (nee Feldman), and our dear sister, aged 17 years, 5 months and 11 days.

Funeral Sunday, April 7, at 1:30 p. m., from family residence, 1925 Madison street, to first German Baptist Church, Rauschenbach avenue. Friends invited to attend.

Burlington (Io.) and Chicago (Ill.) papers please copy.

MESSER—On Saturday, April 6, 1901, at 1:45 o'clock p. m., Mary Messer (nee Gibbons), beloved wife of Henry Messer and dear sister of John Gibbons, after a lingering illness, at the age of 35 years.

The funeral will take place on Monday, April 8, 1901, at 2 o'clock p. m., from family residence, 904 North Broadway, to St. Patrick's Church, corner Sixth and Biddle streets, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are cordially invited to attend.

Rochester (Minn.) and Leavenworth (Kan.) papers please copy.

SCHROEDER—On Saturday, April 6, at 11 o'clock p. m., at the residence, 8129 Magazine street, Anthony Schroeder, aged 8 months, son of Henry F. Schroeder.

Notice of funeral later.

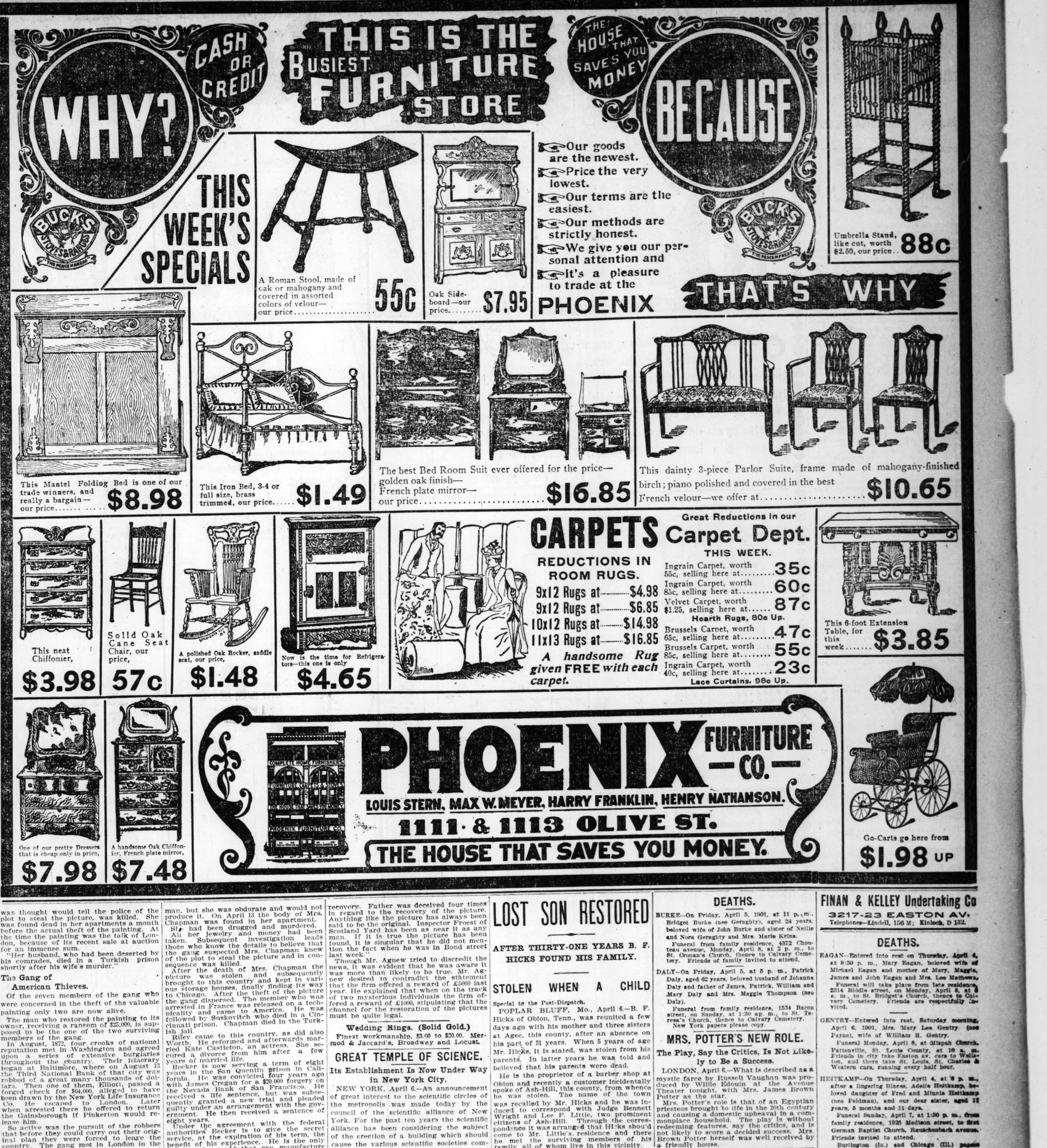
SULLIVAN—On Saturday, April 6, 1901, at 11:45 o'clock a. m., Mrs. Margaret Sullivan, beloved mother of John and Lizzie Sullivan, aged 75 years.

The funeral will take place Monday, 8th inst., at 7:30 o'clock a. m., from family residence 1342 Elliot avenue, to St. Bridget's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend.

Jackson and Vicksburg (Miss.) papers please copy.

WELLS—On Tuesday, April 2, at the residence of her daughter, Clara B. Tracy, after a lingering illness, Eleanor F. Wells, widow of the late Erastus Wells.

Funeral services at St. Xavier's Church, [illegible] and Grand, Monday, April 8, at 10 o'clock a. m. Interment at [illegible]



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Umbrella Stand, like cut, worth $2.50, our price... 88c

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This Iron Bed, 3-4 or full size, brass trimmed, our price... $1.49

The best Bed Room Suit ever offered for the price—golden oak finish—French plate mirror—our price............ $16.85

This dainty 3-piece Parlor Suite, frame made of mahogany-finished birch; piano polished and covered in the best French velour—we offer at.................. $10.65

This neat Chiffonier, $3.98

Solid Oak Cane Seat Chair, our price, 57c

A polished Oak Rocker, saddle seat, our price, $1.48

Now is the time for Refrigerators—this one is only $4.65

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REDUCTIONS IN ROOM RUGS.

9x12 Rugs at	$4.98
9x12 Rugs at	$6.85
10x12 Rugs at	$14.98
11x13 Rugs at	$16.85

A handsome Rug given FREE *with each carpet.*

Great Reductions in our Carpet Dept.

THIS WEEK.

Ingrain Carpet, worth 55c, selling here at	35c
Ingrain Carpet, worth 85c, selling here at	60c
Velvet Carpet, worth $1.25, selling here at	87c

Hearth Rugs, 80c Up.

Brussels Carpet, worth 65c, selling here at	47c
Brussels Carpet, worth 85c, selling here at	55c
Ingrain Carpet, worth 40c, selling here at	23c

Lace Curtains, 98c Up.

This 6-foot Extension Table, for this week... $3.85

One of our pretty Dressers that is cheap only in price, $7.98

A handsome Oak Chiffonier, French plate mirror, $7.48

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LOUIS STERN, MAX W. MEYER, HARRY FRANKLIN, HENRY NATHANSON.

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THE HOUSE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY.

Go-Carts go here from $1.98 UP

TEXAS FORESTS DECIMATED

Ruthless and Reckless Destruction Going On.

YELLOW PINE DISAPPEARING

TOTAL SUPPLY WILL BE GONE IN THIRTY-FIVE YEARS.

A Warning Has Been Issued by Dr. Bray of the Texas School of Botany.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

AUSTIN, Tex., April 6.—Attention is being drawn to the rapid destruction of the forests in Texas, and an effort will be made to check it, and to inaugurate a scientific system of forestry which will result in the renewal of the vast resources of long leaf yellow pine and cypress.

Already the supply of pine is running short enough to cause lumbermen to turn their attention to the marketing of other kinds, and the cypress is being brought forward as a substitute. The mills of East Texas are cutting up the timber by the million feet every day, and the scientists have issued a warning that before many years the supply will be exhausted.

This subject has been treated in a paper read by Dr. William L. Bray of the School of Botany of Texas University before the Texas Academy of Science. In part he said:

"There is by no means a profitable forest stand on all of the 35,000 square miles of possible pine lands in this state, partially, of course, from natural causes, but largely also because it has been cut off and is not restored by subsequent growth to a paying condition. Opinion seems to agree that all the merchantable pine now standing would not exceed 30,000,000,000 or 40,000,000,000 feet of lumber. This is being harvested at the rate of 1,000,000,000 feet a year. Of course some timber is growing up to take its place, but no one can imagine that this increases at any such rate as 1,000,000,000 feet yearly, or even the fourth of that amount. The capital will, therefore, be inevitably exhausted even before the new century is half, or even, perhaps, one-third out.

"Facts given in detail show conclusively that these forests are not able to hold out long against the present methods.

"1. Because in very many cases the land is stripped of every stick that can possibly find a market.

"2. Because for every tree that is cut for the mill, one to three or more saplings or poles are destroyed or damaged by its fall and removal.

"3. Because fire and pasturing, and lack of trees favorably situated for scattering seed, make it impossible to renew the stand from seedlings. This means that the forest will 'play out' just as certainly as that a people will become extinct where no children are born.

"The dawn of a new era breaks upon us while we still have plenty of forests. It will be in time to save much for the future.

"The state can afford to take the lead in the movement. This matter of forests, just as that of agriculture and grazing, is one affecting the general welfare too deeply to be left to private enterprise. It is one of the state's chief concerns. She may apply herself to it along two lines.

"1. By legislation of a regulatory and helpful nature such as to encourage the practice of conservative forestry by private owners and corporations; such, for example, as providing against losses by fire, theft and other causes, prevention of excessive taxation during the nonproductive periods and organizing a system of forest wardens, etc., etc.

"2. By ownership of forest lands upon which conservative forestry shall be practiced.

"To undertake any such work in relation to forests and forestry a specific organization will be necessary, and this will no doubt take the form of a forest commission as it has done in those states which are taking up the question of preserving their forests."

TACK FOR FAITH CURISTS

Dr. Douglas Maintains That Its Sharp Point Should Show Them Their Fallacies.

NEW YORK, April 6.—Christian Science was the theme of the Rev. Thomas Douglas, Ph. D., of the West Fifty-first Street Presbyterian Church, who read a paper before the Presbyterian Minister's Association. "Is it a species of infidelity?" he asked, and he decided that it was.

Dr. Douglas had a prolonged illness about a year ago, and hope had been given up when he began to mend slowly. One circumstances attending his recovery attracted widespread attention. He began to mend immediately after the Presbyterian Ministers' Association had engaged in prayer for him at one of its weekly meetings. In his paper yesterday, however, Dr. Douglas took no account of this personal experience.

"Christian Science is a new creed," he said. "Up to the present time it has eclipsed all other creeds of its kind for its boldness, audacity and unwarranted claims. Mrs. Eddy, the founder, declares that she received it as a revelation from God.

"In conversation with leading members of the Christian Science Churches in this city, I ventured to ask the question whether the followers of Mrs. Eddy believed this, to which I received an affirmative reply. This suggested another question, whether she was regarded as more than a woman. The answer was a qualified one, though a strong feeling was cherished by many that she was."

Dr. Douglas declared that it would be a waste of time to attempt an application of the commonest rules by which divine revelation and inspiration are tested to Mrs. Eddy's book, "Science and Health," to prove the futility of her claim. Equally, it would require no great sagacity to see that her revelation is one of absurdity and contradiction and her "inspiration" that of concentrated pride and ambition.

Dr. Douglas carefully analyzed the statements in "Science and Health" relating to the absence of sin and pain and the power to heal. Of the latter he said: "They claim to heal decayed bone, but Mrs. Eddy wears a set of false teeth furnished by Dr. Fletcher of Concord, N. H., and Mrs. Lathrop of the Second Church has a beautiful set furnished by the late Dr. Meiggs of this city."

WIN BIG CANADIAN GRANT.

Railroad Syndicate Secures 2,500,000 Acres of Government Land.

TORONTO, Ont., April 6.—The Ontario government has granted a charter for a 600-mile railway in New Ontario to F. H. and E. V. Clergue, R. N. Douglas and F. S. Lewis of Philadelphia.

The charter carries with it a grant of two and a half million acres of land in alternate sections of twelve square miles, but no money grant. The syndicate gets the minerals, except coal, and the government can buy back the road in fifteen years for its cost and 6 per cent interest. Other roads are to have running rights and the syndicate must erect a smelter at Sudbury and settle 1000 adults on the lands yearly for ten years. This is claimed to be the best railway deal ever made for Canada.

As a result of long protest against the excessive insurance rates charged for all vessels and freight by the St. Lawrence route the government has also given a charter to the same grantees for a dominion Lloyds. The capital is $5,000,000 and the government made the statement that every possible assistance would be given the new Lloyds to secure business. The rates must be under the present ones by at least 25 per cent.

SPRING OPENING
WOODALL

OUR store now holds a greater collection of the most beautiful house furnishings than has ever been shown in this city. It is the result of raking over the markets of the world for the prettiest furniture and furnishings. We looked the land over—picked out this style here, that style there—only what was most chic and dainty. In our search we found many bargains. Some of these we offer this week. We are just a little proud of our store and the way we have joined high qualities to low prices.

"IF IT COMES FROM D. SOMMERS & CO. IT WILL WEAR."

CHINA CLOSET

Like Cut—A China Closet that possesses all utility and elegance; swelled glass sides; fitted with movable shelves; highly finished; worth $18.00; Our Price,

$9.85

CARPETS

TAPESTRY BRUSSELS, worth 65c, per yard	50c
TAPESTRY BRUSSELS, worth 80c, per yard	65c
VELVETS, worth $1.05, per yard	80c
MOQUETTES, worth $1.15, per yard	95c
AXMINSTERS, worth $1.25, per yard	$1.05
AXMINSTERS, worth $1.45, per yard	$1.15
ROOM RUGS, worth $14.00	$9.85
ROOM RUGS, worth $20.00	$12.50
INGRAINS, worth 40c, per yard	25c
MATTINGS, worth 25c, per yard	16c
OIL CLOTHS, worth 25c, per yard	19c
LACE CURTAINS, worth $1.25, per pair	75c

BOOK SHELF

(like cut)
900 only; hardwood, golden oak finish; can be folded compactly into a thickness of one and a half inches; worth $1.25,

Our Price,

55c

STEEL RANGE

Like Cut—Very low in price, but a good baker and cooker; made of heavy gauged steel, and is neatly ornamented, has sectional top and deep ash pit; worth $21.00; Our Price,

$14.00

FOLDING BED

Like cut—a perfect Bed and thoroughly made; highly glossed; the carving is cut in bold relief; large beveled mirror; a rare bargain—worth $35.00. Our Price,

$21.85

SIDEBOARD

Like cut—a large and finely carved sideboard at a very low price. It is fitted with a large plate mirror; the drawers are serpentine swelled; the shelves are supported by carved posts; it is highly finished—worth $15.00. Our Price,

$10.85

BABY CARRIAGE

Like cut—a strong and durable carriage; full steel running gear; the upholstering is very pretty and is detachable; has a shapely parasol. This is a splendid bargain—worth $6.00. Our Price,

$3.98

DRESSER

Like cut—a well-built, well-finished Dresser. It has a large swinging mirror—the carving is done in splendid taste; extra deep drawers—worth $12.50. Our Price,

$7.95

GO-CART

Like cut—this Go-Cart can be instantly adjusted so that it can be formed into a buggy; the body is beautifully woven; the running gear is tempered steel; the parasol has a deep ruffle—worth $14.00. Our Price,

$7.50

TOILET TABLE

Like Cut—a charming bedroom article—a pattern of grace and refinement; highly polished, large tilting mirror; French legs—worth $8.50—Our Price,

$4.50

PARLOR SUITE

Like cut—This is a fine suite in all particulars. It is a very attractive design—the frames are hand carved, the upholstering is of a high quality, worth $25.00—Our Price,

$15.75

COUCH

Like cut—Same design as some of our highest priced Couches. The upholstering is done with the same care. The coverings are rich in color, heavy fringe, worth $8.50—Our Price,

$3.98

ICE CHEST

Like cut—made of hardwood, nicely finished, lined with polished zinc; has galvanized air flues and large ice rack, worth $5.00—Our Price,

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IRON BED

Like cut—Owing chiefly to the neat design and general strength of this bed, it has proved itself very popular, bicycle enameled, heavy brass trimmings, worth $8.00—Our Price,

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FREE BIG TRIAL PACKAGE OF REMEDY THAT WILL CURE MEN AND WOMEN OF GOITRE QUICKLY, WITHOUT PAIN OR DANGEROUS OPERATION.

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A famous Cincinnati Physician has discovered a **prompt and effective** remedy and cure for goitre,

This patient was cured of these horrible Goitres in three weeks.

that hideous and hitherto incurable disease that afflicts so many of our people in the present day. Before making public his remedy this specialist traveled the world over hunting aggravated cases of Goitre, that he might experiment with them. He has never found one that did not yield readily to his remarkable treatment. In India over 60,000 natives have been cured permanently. The great value to suffering humanity in this remarkable remedy is the simplicity of the treatment. It can be used at home by any person and without the slightest danger. In order that every sufferer from Goitre may have without expense this remedy the doctor is sending to all who apply a free, large trial package of it. It costs nothing to try it and thousands of people are availing themselves of the liberal offer. If you are a sufferer and will send your name and address to Dr. John P. Haig, 1597 Glenn Bldg., Cincinnati, Ohio, you will get a free trial package of this remedy that will convince you that it will cure you easily and painlessly. It is sent prepaid by mail securely sealed in plain wrapper.

AFTER THE OCTOPUS.

How to Fight Trusts Is the Leading Problem in Europe.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.

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LONDON, April 6.—Contributors to the Post-Dispatch's Twentieth Century Symposium, who singled out trusts as the coming danger, are being justified, and how to fight them is the most urgent problem facing European governments today.

Great Britain has trusts of her own, capitalized at $450,000,000, but undoubtedly where the necessaries of life are affected the British Parliament will act promptly.

The price of coal is being still maintained artificially by the active London coal ring. A small beginning is being made to counterwork the trust system by the proposal of the London County Council to sell coal for a fair market value.

GO TO CALIFORNIA.

$27.50—Personally conducted excursions—$27.50—April 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30, via M., K. & T. Ry. Pamphlets and information at 103 North Broadway.

High School Musicale.—Pupils of the High School will give a musical entertainment for the benefit of the school athletic and musical clubs Friday evening, April 19, in the High School auditorium. The Boys' Glee Club and the Girls' Choral Club and the Boys' Mandolin Club will participate. Each of these clubs is well organized and has members of marked musical ability.

SEARCHING FOR MR. R. L. BRIGHT

Tennessee Merchant Mysteriously Disappears.

CAME NORTH TO BUY GOODS

VISITED ST. LOUIS, LOUISVILLE AND CINCINNATI.

Walked Out of His Hotel With a Large Sum of Money on His Person and No Trace of Him Remains.

CINCINNATI, April 6.—Detectives are searching every part of the city for R. L. Bright, a prominent citizen of Trenton, Tenn., who came to Cincinnati Friday, March 22, and the next day vanished without leaving the slightest trace of his movements. The case is out of the ordinary of usual disappearances, and it is not improbable that some ill has befallen the man.

Bright is well-to-do financially, and two weeks ago left his home, intending to visit St. Louis, Louisville and Cincinnati for the purpose of buying stock for a general store he was to start in Trenton. He went to St. Louis first, but made no purchases there, so far as can be ascertained. From St. Louis he went to Louisville, remained there a day or so, and then came to Cincinnati, registering at the Palace Hotel Friday, March 22. He engaged a room, had no baggage and spent Friday night at the hotel Saturday he ate breakfast and dinner and then left, saying nothing to the clerk.

A day or two passed without any attention being paid to the case, but when Bright did not appear his room was closed and word sent to his home telling of his disappearance. The relatives wired back to several wholesale houses here with whom he expected to deal, but none of the firm members had seen the man. As the days passed without the slightest trace of Bright being obtained, his wife and children became alarmed and begged the man's father-in-law to go to Cincinnati and make a personal investigation.

The father-in-law, named Allen, arrived yesterday morning and called at police headquarters. He told Chief Crawford that Bright was a man of excellent habits, did not drink and had never been absent from his home before. He had more than [illegible] with him when he left Trenton and [illegible] North to buy goods. That [illegible] did not leave the Palace not intending to return is evident from the fact [illegible] when he walked out he left the door of his room standing open, did not turn in the key and also failed to pay his bill, so small in amount that a man of his character is not suspected of trying to evade it.

Word was sent yesterday to Louisville and St. Louis, but no tidings of him have been received. Detective Kinkaid visited every hospital in the city, thinking perhaps the man may have been taken ill and given some other name, but none of the institutions have a patient answering in any way his description. After a fruitless search all of yesterday the father-in-law left last night for Louisville, to make further inquiries there.

The disappearance has aroused much anxiety in Trenton, Tenn. Several wholesale firms here who have customers in that city have written asking that the salesmen acquainted with the city attempt to locate Bright, as his family is prostrated. The man's father, living in far-away Missouri, has been informed of his disappearance, and he is also on the way to Cincinnati to attempt to unravel the mystery. The fact that Bright had such a large amount of money on his person leads the police to believe that it is possible he has fallen into harm, either here or elsewhere.

Bright was a small man, with a red beard covering his face. His relatives say that he had no bad habits and did not drink or gamble. Mr. Allen will return to Cincinnati to continue the search in that city.

CURES WEAK MEN FREE.

Send Name and Address Today----You Can Have it Free and Be Strong and Vigorous for Life.

INSURES LOVE AND A HAPPY HOME

How any man may quickly cure himself after years of suffering from sexual weakness, lost vitality, night losses, varicocele, etc., and enlarge small, weak organs to full size and vigor. Simply send your name and address to Dr. L. W. Knapp, 732 Hull Bldg., Detroit, Mich., and he will gladly send the free receipt with full directions so that any man may easily cure himself at home. This is certainly a most generous offer and the following extracts taken from his daily mail show what men think of his generosity:

"Dear Sir—Please accept my sincere thanks for yours of recent date. I have given your treatment a thorough test and the benefit has been extraordinary. It has completely braced me up. I am just as vigorous as when a boy, and you cannot realize how happy I am."

"Dear Sir—Your method worked beautifully. Results were exactly what I needed. Strength and vigor have completely returned, and enlargement is entirely satisfactory."

"Dear Sir—Yours was received and I had no trouble in making use of the receipt as directed, and can truthfully say it is a boon to weak men. I am greatly improved in size, strength and vigor."

All correspondence is strictly confidential, mailed in plain, sealed envelope. The receipt is free for the asking and he wants every man to have it.

HOW NEGROES WERE VICTIMIZED

They Put Up Money to a Migrating Society

PROMISED TRIP TO LIBERIA

NO EVIDENCE THAT ANYONE WAS EVER SENT.

Unearthing of a Fraud in Oklahoma Which Seems to Have Gathered Thousands of Victims Throughout the South.

GUTHRIE, O. T., April 7.—One of the largest frauds which has recently been unearthed in Oklahoma was brought to light today in the office of the United States District Attorney Horace Speed, when a number of colored men applied for information regarding the International Society, with home offices at Birmingham, Ala. The colored men were all victims of the company, having paid in various sums of money, and had received nothing in return nor do they have any opportunity to realize anything for their hard earned cash.

The plan of operations of the company as carried on in Oklahoma was to advertise through their agents that they were arranging for colonies to be transported to Liberia. The work was done among the colored people, and the statements were made that the colored men and their families would be taken there by the International Migration Society on the payment of a certain sum of money. The agents worked the country very thoroughly, it seems, and last spring 104 colored people left this city bound for New York to be taken to Liberia by the company, according to the statements made by the company's agents. They were not taken to Liberia, and as a result many of the colored people were not well enough fixed financially to return to Oklahoma. Seventeen of the people did return, however, and persons, representatives of these people, applied today at the United States district attorney's office.

The plan adopted by the company was to give a document or contract which stated that $1 was to be paid down and $1 each succeeding month until $31 had been paid in and this would entitle the holder of the contract to be transported to Liberia after having reached the port where they were supposed to embark. If the persons so desired they could pay the entire sum of money down, as some of the men did. The contract when examined does not state where the company would take the holders of the paper, nor were there rules laid down with any definiteness. One clause of the contract stated that it was not binding unless 1500 persons had agreed to be transported to Liberia or any place that the company might designate that they were to be taken. Even the receipts given to the men who had paid money in did not state anything definite, only that the money paid in was a "donation" to help carry out the plans of the company as laid out in the contract.

R. S. Nesbit, one of the men asking for information, had paid in $179 and had made the trip to New York, but after having arrived there the company's agent did not know anything about the Liberia colony, and so refused to do anything for them. Joe Michael paid in $72 and made the trip to New York, Erasmus Hampton paid $26 and Gilbert Cobbs was out $160, with nothing but a contract and receipts to show for the money paid in. These were the men representing the 17 people who had returned from New York.

According to the statements of the company's agents the men were to be notified regarding the departure of their ship, etc., by the agent at New York, and this evidently was done last spring when the parties left here, but the agent seemed to forget all about the matter when the Oklahoma colored people reached their destination. One of the contracts was numbered 9428 and the number issued must be large.

The matter will be investigated by United States District Attorney Speed and his assistants and the United States attorney will be communicated with and the officers notified at Birmingham. As the attorneys stated, "on the face of the plan, it was a contract with plans laid out to secure money under false pretense and was therefore a violation of the United States postal laws. How far the matter will be carried is hard to tell, but Oklahoma is surely getting her share of frauds."

SOLD THE CEMETERY.

Graveyard That Cost $100,000 Brought Only $11,500.

NORFOLK, Va., April 6.—The cemetery here was sold at auction. There is not an active demand here for cemeteries, Norfolk people being a life-loving class. The Atlantic Park Cemetery, which cost upward of $100,000 a couple of years ago, brought under the hammer only $11,500.

A promoter who happened along here discovered that the single cemetery which Norfolk people have for a hundred years or so been filling as slowly as possible was about full. It is small, there is no vacant ground near it, and Norfolk is big and has growing plans.

Those who were induced to take stock in the promoter's scheme to organize a new cemetery say that his figures showed that he had a sure thing. He showed how so many people must die, even in Norfolk, and how easy it was to make a fortnue in his enterprise.

Two hundred acres of land were bought for $80,000, upward of $20,000 was spent in improvements, but only one tenant was secured for the cemetery. One lonely grave, two hundred acres of land covered with pines through which the winds from Hampton Roads whisper, the appurtenances thereof and a beautiful view of the water were bought in by the former owner, who held a lien for $70,000 of the purchase price.

Lots to live on sell freely and at advanced prices hereabouts, but lots to lie in are not wanted at any price, apparently. One of the stockholder in the cemetery company said that cemetery lots are a great deal harder to sell than life insurance policies are.

WILL AID ALLEGED FORGER.

Mercer Heirs' Association Says George W. Thatcher Is Innocent.

SPRINGFIELD, O., April 6.—George W. Thatcher, charged with forging notes to the amount of $300,000 on the late P. P. Mast, waived examination in court today and was held in $10,000 bonds. The Mercer Heirs' Association, of which Thatcher is the agent, was represented at the hearing by S. D. Kirkpatrick of Belleville, Wis.; Secretary James B. Snider of Harvey, Ill.; Treasurer H. S. Catterline of Harvey, Ill.; William Leggitt and H. N. Curry of South Bend, Ind.; Joseph L. Lucas of Frankfort, Ind.; L. A. Marshall, Addison, O., and Charles Guthrie of Urbana. Secretary Snider states the association will aid Thatcher; that they believe the three notes were genuine and that they were given by Mr. Mast because he could not pay in cash the balance of the $600,000 which he obtained from the Mercer heirs' estate.

MR. SPRAGUE SAYS

Strawberries at 10c, on sale Monday, April 8, at the Delicatessen Lunch Room counters.

JAPANESE ARE CAUTIOUS.

Russia Is to Be Firmly Told of Their Desires.

YOKOHAMA, April 6.—The Japanese government is maintaining great secrecy regarding its policy, but it is said on good authority that the cabinet, at a meeting held Friday, resolved to communicate with Russia in firm terms respecting Manchuria.

There is extraordinary activity in naval and military circles.

BRAIN FOOD

Is of Little Benefit Unless It Is Digested.

Nearly everyone will admit that as a nation we eat too much meat and too little of vegetables and the grains.

For business men, office men and clerks, and in fact everyone engaged in sedentary or indoor occupations, grains, milk and vegetables are much more healthful.

Only men engaged in a severe outdoor manual labor can live on a heavy meat diet and continue in health.

As a general rule, meat once a day is sufficient for all classes of men, women and children, and grains, fruit and vegetables should constitute the bulk of food eaten.

But many of the most nutritious foods are difficult of digestion and it is of no use to advise brain workers to eat largely of grains and vegetables where the digestion is too weak to assimilate them properly.

It is always best to get the best results from our food that some simple and harmless digestive should be taken after meals to assist the relaxed digestive organs, and several years' experience have proven Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets to be a very safe, pleasant and effective digestive and a remedy which may be taken daily with the best results.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets can hardly be called a patent medicine, as they do not act on the bowels nor any particular organ but only on the food eaten. They supply what weak stomachs lack, pepsin diastase and by stimulating the gastric glands increase the natural secretion of hydrochloric acid.

People who make a daily practice of taking one or two of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets after each meal are sure to have perfect digestion which means perfect health.

There is no danger of forming an injurious habit as the tablets contain absolutely nothing but natural digestives; cocaine, morphine and similar drugs have no place in a stomach medicine and Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are certainly the best known and most popular of all stomach remedies.

Ask your druggist for a fifty cent package of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and after a week's use note the improvement in health, appetite and nervous energy.

MAY HARNESS FALLS

PLAN TO UTILIZE WATER POWER OF OHIO RIVER.

TO GENERATE ELECTRICITY

Street Cars and Electric Plants of Louisville, Jeffersonville and New Albany May Be Run Thereby.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW ALBANY, Ind., April 6.—A joint meeting of committees from the New Albany Business Men's Association and the Louisville Commercial Club will be held at Louisville next Tuesday to consider a project looking toward the utilization of the water power of the falls of the Ohio river.

The plan is to dig a canal, something on the order of an old-fashioned mill race, from the head of the falls across the bend of the river to Falling Run, a small creek, that empties into the river just below this city.

It is claimed that the fall is sufficient to produce, by the aid of water wheels, power to operate dynamos that would produce electricity enough to run the street railways and electric light plants of Louisville, New Albany and Jeffersonville in addition to many of the factories of the Falls Cities.

The utilization of this vast water power has been contemplated for years. A number of years ago a survey of the proposed canal with an estimate of its cost was made. At that time the estimated cost was placed at $400,000, but it is thought that with the improved machinery of the present day it can be constructed at a much lower figure.

Stoiloff Is Dead.

SOFIA, Bulgaria, April 6.—Ex-Premier Stoiloff is dead after a short illness.

LITTLE PLAGUE ON COAST.

Ten Cases Are Reported in San Francisco in Three Months.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—The report of the special investigating board of experts, which was sent out by the government to probe the plague situation at San Francisco, has been made public. Its report shows that there have been 10 cases since the beginning of the year, all of them being fatal. They were confined entirely to the Chinese quarter, and there is little danger of a spread, save in the unsanitary condition of that quarter of the town. The disease has been of a mild bubonic form, which is only slightly contagious, but often lays the seeds of the more aggravated forms of the pest.

Free to the Ruptured

Dr. W. S. Rice, the Well-Known Authority, Sends a Trial of His Famous Method Free to All.

Dr. W. S. Rice, 511 W. Main st., Adams, N. Y., will send free to anyone who is ruptured or knows of any person ruptured, whether a man, woman or child, a free trial of his famous home cure. It is a

MR. R. W. YOUREX.

marvelous method, curing cases that defied hospitals, doctors, trusses, electricity and all else. Merely send your name and address and the free trial will be sent without any cost to you whatever. R. W. Yourex, a well-known commercial traveler, was ruptured ten years, tried every truss on the market, partly made up his mind to undergo the danger of an operation, when by the greatest of good luck, he tried the Dr. Rice method. He is now cured.

Mr. Yourex says: "I tried Dr. Rice's method, and it cured me. I did not lose a day on the road. Hundreds of merchants and friends in Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota and Iowa know the wonderful fact that this remarkable method cured me and I certainly feel thankful enough to tell other ruptured people how they may profit by my experience." Mr. Yourex travels for Goodhart, Hartman & Co., 116-118 Franklin street, Chicago.

Every ruptured person ought to send at once and make a trial of this method that cures without pain, danger, operation or an hour's loss of time. Begin now and in a short time you will never know you had been ruptured. Write today sure.

THE TURNAGAIN ARM GOLD MINING CO.

BOSTON ST. LOUIS MINNEAPOLIS MILWAUKEE

TIME IS NEARLY UP

There is not a great deal of time left in which to buy stock in the Turnagain Gold Mine, for the issue of Treasury Shares is about sold out. The sales have been phenomenal and very gratifying to the Directors of this Company. As a general thing it takes from two to three years to close out a stock issue of two million shares, and that we have been able to do this in about 10 months proves that the public who have invested with us believe that our future prospects are bright, as confidently as we do ourselves.

Let us consider briefly what we have to offer and upon what we base our claims.

Read it all carefully, and then investigate us, and write to us for further particulars.

Not a thousand miles from civilization, but at a point that is accessible from the ports of the Pacific Coast every day in the year; not handicapped by winters that very few can stand and the working season so short as to make it unprofitable; but in a field where the climate is such that out-of-door work can be performed the greater part of the year—lie the properties of the Turnagain Gold Mining Co., about 480 acres of Placer Mines, situated in the Sitka Territory of Alaska, The Turnagain Arm Mining District on the Southern Alaska Coast.

We have 24 claims, located as follows: Nine claims on Winner Creek, six on Crow Creek, one on Glacier River, six on Bird Creek, and two on Silver Tip Creek.

Every one of these claims has been thoroughly prospected by panning, under the direction of our superintendent, the result being far ahead of the highest expectation of those interested. Every pan of dirt contained wealth, showing this particular section of territory to be the rival of all gold-producing grounds on this continent. The history of placer mines is that 90 per cent have proved financial successes, and that 75 per cent of the world's supply of gold was obtained by placer mining, and they pay from the beginning. The proposition that we present to you for investment carries as small percentage of risk as any business on earth. The properties are developed. We know exactly what we have. The wise ones who get in now while the stock is selling for a few cents per share will make fortunes. Investors with a few dollars at their command can get quicker and greater returns by purchasing a few shares of this stock than from any other investment before the public.

The shares of the Turnagain Arm Gold Mining Co. are absolutely non-assessable and there can be no personal liability to any person buying these shares outside of the net amount at which he buys them. Honest men are at the head of this Company. Every dollar acquired from the sale of stock is used in the developments of the properties, not one penny getting into the pockets of the officers and promoters.

A WORD TO SMALL INVESTORS

One often hears people say: "What's the use of buying a thousand shares in a million dollar company; it does not amount to anything?" In answer to this we say that when a company is selling its first issue of treasury shares, it is no trouble at all to look back over the field of active mining operations and enumerate hundreds of companies that to own one thousand shares of their stock would mean an income of no small amount. In proof of this the Des Moines (Io.) Investor says:

"One thousand shares of Quincy or Tamerack would insure an income of nearly $6000 per annum. The same number of shares in the Calumet and Hecla would return about $33,000 annually.

"The Alaska Treadwell pays about $1500 annually on each one thousand shares, while the great Homestake of South Dakota pays $6000.

"The Richardson Mine of Nova Scotia pays $250 on each one thousand shares from ore that only averages about $2.50 per ton. The New York Engineering and Mining Journal of Feb. 17 gives a list of 236 dividend paying mines, that to own a thousand shares in any one of them would mean a very respectable income."

As a rule, a company sells its first issue of treasury shares very cheap. Ten cents per share would be a very high estimate on an average, so if one estimates from a basis of first cost he is receiving all the way from 200 to 500 per cent on his actual cash investment. For example, the Le Roi stock was sold for about five cents per share when the mine first started; this stock is now quoted in London at $40. Isabella of Cripple Creek sold as low as three cents per share originally; it is now worth $1.28; that is to say, one could have bought one thousand shares for $30; they are now worth $1280 and the mine has paid $450,000 in dividends.

How Fortunes Come

A few shares purchased may mean a fortune to you. The following are a few instances of the rapid increase in the price of stock:

Lone Prairie	5 cents in 1897	$ .46 in 1899
Jim Blaine	10 cents in 1897	.36 in 1899
San Poil	3 cents in 1897	.75 in 1899
Old Ironsides	7 cents in 1897	1.18 in 1899
Cariboo	12 cents in 1896	2.00 in 1899
Hecla	10 cents in 1897	.75 in 1899
Iron Mask	20 cents in 1897	.67 in 1899
Standard	30 cents in 1891	5.50 in 1899
War Eagle	10 cents in 1894	15.20 in 1899
Le Roi	40 cents in 1895	40.00 in 1900

We have published a book entitled "Findings From Alaska" which tells all about our property, and shows photographs of several of our claims.

It is an interesting book—for it contains the report of H. Michaels, a mining expert, who was sent out to our properties by the Stockholders last summer to make a report on the claims.

Here is an extract from his report showing how fabulously rich these claims are:

"I had a line of sluice boxes thoroughly cleaned and set, then I selected four men to shovel gravel into these boxes and at the end of three days made a clean-up which was a great surprise to me, but did not seem to be anything unusual to the miners working there."

"The result of the three days' run was 35 OUNCES, 14 GRAINS OF GOLD, equal to a little over $590.00 in money!"

It is indeed, surprising and very encouraging to those who hold shares of stock!

Now it is just a simple problem in arithmetic to figure that if four men could recover $590 in three days, three hydraulics, which will do the work of 1500 men daily, would recover a sum almost fabulous in that length of time.

You must always remember that these claims are thought to be the richest ever discovered on this continent. And the day will surely come when instead of our saying help us get our gold out, you will say where can I buy some of that stock? It will be worth dollars then, where it is worth cents today.

It's a gold mine—or rather 24 gold mines under one head—placer gold mines, remember. And it has been possible for us to find out what their possibilities were before we started out to offer stock. (See Inspector Michaels' report in our book, "Findings From Alaska," sent free.)

Gold has a ready sale anywhere on this earth. It isn't like real estate, that fluctuates; or like some commodity that must be hawked around in the open market, to compete with some other like commodity which has perhaps been raised or made cheaper than yours, and therefore may be offered at a less price.

It's gold and gold rules the world! and has a fixed value anywhere in the world.

We are loading a specially chartered vessel, the "General Sighlin," at Seattle this week with two hydraulics and a complete equipment of supplies, etc., which is to proceed at once to the mines.

Our Superintendent, Hydraulic Engineers and assistants will leave in the S. S. Excelsior, arriving at Sunrise City a little in advance of the "Sighlin" to be ready to receive the machinery when it arrives.

We need another Hydraulic—a coasting Steamer—a General Store on our townsite at Turnagain City, and want to plat this town and begin the sale of lots, for the climate there is one of the most delightful on this continent. These Treasury Shares that we are now selling will participate in the profits of these undertakings as well as from the gold recovered.

The time grows short in which to avail yourselves of this offer.

The stock is almost all subscribed for, and if you have some idle money looking for a good investment you will never find a better or safer place to put it.

But first of all, LOOK US UP.

Make a thorough investigation of our property and plans, and then if you are not entirely satisfied don't come in.

We have tried to make it plain to investors that this was an honest proposition—first, and then, that it was destined to prove one of the greatest Mining propositions on this Continent. We can prove up on both claims if you will give us the opportunity.

Here is how the shares are sold and the prices:

INSTALLMENT PLAN

500 SHARES	(20 cents per share, ($3.00 down, $3.00 per month until paid)	$ 100.00
1000 SHARES	(20 cents per share, ($5.00 down, $5.00 per month until paid)	200.00
2000 SHARES	(20 cents per share, ($7.50 down, $7.50 per month until paid)	400.00
3000 SHARES	(20 cents per share, ($10.00 down, $10.00 per month until paid)	600.00
5000 SHARES	(17½ cents per share, ($15 down, $15 per month until paid)	875.00
10,000 SHARES	(16½ cents per share, ($25 down, $25 per month until paid)	1650.00

ALL CASH DOWN

100 Shares	$ 15.00	3,000 Shares	$ 400.00
250 Shares	37.50	4,000 Shares	525.00
500 Shares	75.00	5,000 Shares	625.00
1,000 Shares	150.00	10,000 Shares	1000.00
2,000 Shares	275.00	20,000 Shares	1600.00

Par Value $1.00. Full paid, non-assessable, and no personal liability.

Make all checks drafts, money orders, etc., payable to Lee S. Ovitt, Trustee.

Address LEE S. OVITT, Merrill Building, Milwaukee, Wis.

SAYS SHE TIRED OF BLACKMAIL

Why Lady Cook Will Exhume Husband's Body.

STATEMENT TO POST-DISPATCH

DECLARES SHE WILL INSIST ON PUBLIC AUTOPSY.

"Physicians Certified That Sir Francis Died of Senile Decay and That Was the Truth"—Repeated Demands on Lady Cook for Money.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.
(Copyright, 1901.)

LONDON, April 6.—As already cabled to the Post-Dispatch, Lady Cook, who was Tennessee Claflin, has approached Home Secretary Ritchie for an order to exhume the body of her late husband, Millionaire Sir Francis Cook, who died two months ago.

The Post-Dispatch correspondent saw Lady Cook today at her London residence and questioned her as to the ground for this demand. Lady Cook, who spoke with strong emotion, said:

"Yes, I have applied for an exhumation order. No reply will be given until next week, when an application will be formally made by my lawyer.

"I am determined to bear no longer the aspersions cast upon me by certain persons concerning my poor husband's death. These people, embittered at not having been provided for under his will, have been making demands upon me. One of them, a girl, was, I think, entitled to something from my husband. I complied up to a point with the financial demands she and the others made, but these demands increased and I refused to concede anything more.

"Now they are circulating infamous stories and threatening me with revelations about how he came by his death. It is blackmail and nothing else.

"I have nothing to fear from any inquiry. My husband was attended by doctors throughout his illness and they duly certified the cause of his death, which was senile decay. These persons threaten to contest his will. That is part of their scheme of extortion. I shall insist on an autopsy to silence these libelers.

"I went to the home office yesterday to apply for an exhumation order, and was asked to make a written application. I have done so. There is nothing to conceal. Two of these persons have been taken ill since I told them I should expose them.

"My husband's family are all away from London, so they knew nothing of my application, but they do know how these persons acted and their sympathies are with me in this trial."

Lady Cook, who was much affected by her trouble asseverated again and again that she would have a public autopsy of her husband's body. Legal opinion given to the Post-Dispatch is that an exhumation order won't be granted on the vague plea set up, but in that event Lady Cook is determined to take other measures for her vindication.

She would not say what was the nature of the claim her foes advanced.

HOW EDWARD WILL RULE.

The King to Control Queen by Holding the Purse.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.
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LONDON, April 6.—The masterful disposition of King Edward is illustrated by the arrangement under which, in the new civil list, he retains absolute command of the family purse.

Formerly the Queen consort had a separate amount voted for her private expenses. This time $550,000 per annum was set apart for this purpose for the King and Queen jointly.

When the members of the select committee suggested that the Queen's allowance be separate the chancellor of the exchequer replied that the King desired the Queen's allowance left to him. It is believed that he expects to keep her under control by making her entirely dependent upon him. If she persists in evading her public duties her allowance will be reduced.

Prince Edward of York, his brothers and sisters, follow the voyage of their parents on the yacht Ophir with the aid of a globe and map. Each day their governess points out the place where the Ophir is and the places from which the little ones receive telegrams.

BONI COULD, I CAN.

French Fortune Hunter Advertises for Backing.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.
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PARIS, April 6.—Several newspapers this week contained the following personal advertisement: "I am a real nobleman, aged 30, handsome and usually successful with the ladies. I will give my backing capitalist or syndicate interest of 50 per cent for six months' use of the capital necessary to go to America and marry an heiress. About $100,000 is needed. I present a gentlemanly appearance. If Boni could I can. Address Duke, Journal office."

DUCHESS WAS UPSET.

Roulette Player Next to Consuelo Killed Himself.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.
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PARIS, April 6.—The Duchess of Marlborough was dreadfully upset by the deed of a man sitting next to her at the roulette table. He stabbed himself through the heart. The Duchess promptly left Monte Carlo to join Lady Sarah Wilson in Paris.

PUNISHMENTS AGREED UPON.

Chinese Officials to Pay Penalty for Missionary Murders.

BERLIN, April 6.—A dispatch to the Cologne Gazette from Pekin, dated Thursday, April 4, says the Chinese plenipotentiaries have agreed on the punishment of the guilty provincial officials to be demanded by the foreign ministers on account of the murder of 242 persons, missionaries and their wives and children.

Artist Sargeant a Wreck.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.
(Copyright, 1901.)

LONDON, April 6.—John S. Sargeant, R. A., the world's foremost portrait painter, has broken down from overwork and has been ordered abroad for a complete rest. His attempts to keep pace with his numerous and important commissions undermined his health and an attack of the grip left him quite prostrate.

The Heaviest Hair on Record

was Absalom's. We are told that every year "He polled his head." And this weighed six and one-sixth lbs. avoirdupois. We can't promise you as much hair as this, yet it is a familiar saying that

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There isn't anything mysterious about this when you know that it is a hair food. You put it on the hair, and the hair cannot help but grow; for that is just exactly what Nature planned.

If you have any gray hair, our Hair Vigor will certainly restore color to it, all the dark, rich color it had years and years ago. It stops falling of the hair also, and keeps the scalp clean and healthy.

"My hair was coming out by the handful every time it was brushed or combed; and gray hairs began to creep in, too. Two bottles of Ayer's Hair Vigor stopped the hair from falling and there was not a faded or gray hair to be seen."—Mrs. M. D. GRAY, North Salem, Mass., Oct. 9, 1899.

One dollar a bottle. All druggists.

Ask your druggist first. If he cannot supply you, send us one dollar and we will express a bottle to you. Be sure and give the name of your nearest express office. Address, J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

SEND FOR OUR HANDSOME BOOK ON THE HAIR.

AN INTERSTATE RAILROAD

While One Side of a Car Is in Tennessee the Other Is in Virginia.

BRISTOL, Tenn, April 6.—The final notification by Congress of the cession act of the Tennessee Legislature, which fixes the Virginia-Tennessee boundary line in the middle of the main street, Bristol, places this line also in the center of the street car line, which runs a mile directly east and west, through the city. This peculiar situation, placing one rail of the car line in Tennessee and the other in Virginia, brings about a unique state of affairs.

Companions may travel through the city on an electric car, and by sitting on opposite sides of the car, one will make the trip in the State of Virginia and the other in Tennessee. On summer cars the same will be true where persons sit within an inch of each other, provided they occupy a position with the center line of the car between them.

When it is 12 o'clock noon on the north side of the car it is only 11 a. m. with passengers on the south side of the car. Under these circumstances one may pass from 11 to 12 o'clock in an instant by moving from the south to the north side of the car. This is due, of course, to the different times kept in the two states.

The marriage of minors, which is forbidden in Virginia, except by consent of the parents, may now be performed on the electric cars in accordance with law. The Virginia youths who desire to experience such a novelty can now board a car, with a minister at hand, and be married legally by taking a position on the south side of the car. But if one of a couple of Virginia minors should stand on the north side of the car while the marriage ceremony was being performed the legality of the marriage would be disputed, and the officiating minister would be called to account by the stern Virginia authorities for a violation of a statutory law of that state.

A criminal wanted in Virginia might be apprehended on a street car, and if he were sitting on the south side of the car he could not be transferred to the north side—if he saw fit to claim his privilege—without a requisition from the governor of Tennessee, and the same conditions would apply to a criminal wanted in Tennessee, were he found on the north side of a car.

Mrs. Parnell Loses $18,000 of Fund.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.
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LONDON, April 6.—Mrs. Charles Stewart Parnell, widow of the Irish leader, has just lost $18,000, part of a trust fund for her daughter, which her lawyer had put in bad securities. He has been suspended for six months.

St. Louis Man to Wed.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

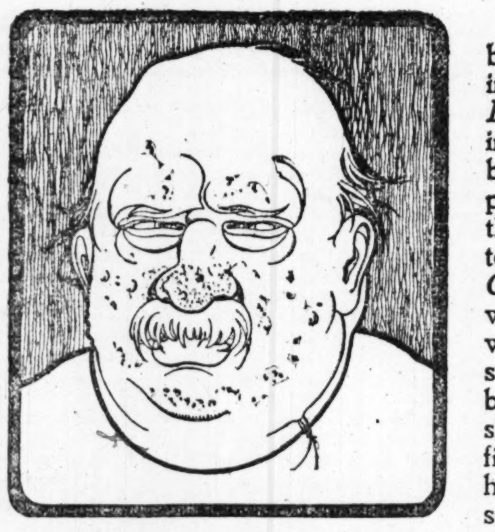
PADUCAH, Ky., April 6.—A society wedding that will be announced today is that of Miss Annie Connelly of Paducah to Bert H. Brown, a young railroad man of St. Louis, at the home of the bride here at 10:30 a. m. April 22. They will be at home in St. Louis after May 1.

LATTER DAY SAINTS.

General Conference of the Church Held at Independence.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 6.—The general conference of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints met in annual session at Independence today, and President Smith was unanimously chosen presiding officer. Probably 500 delegates were present, among them being many women. There are three colored delegates in attendance. One is Elder Helder Meturea of Papeite, Tahiti. The others are Elders George H. Groaves and William Henry Fuller of Chicago. Alexander Smith, a brother of the president, opened the conference with prayer. R. S. Salvards of Leamoni, Io., was elected secretary of the conference, and D. W. Wight and Gomer R. Wells, also of Lamoni, assistants. Brief addresses by the Smiths and E. L. Kelley, the member of the first presidency, took up the time of the first session.

Benefit Entertainment.—The annual benefit entertainment of the South St. Louis Turnverein will be given Saturday evening, April 13, at the hall, Tenth and Carroll streets. There will be a minstrel performance, vaudeville, athletics, music and dancing. An especial feature will be the choir boys led by Mr. Flesh.



Puffs under the eyes; red nose; pimple-blotched, greasy face don't mean hard drinking always as much as it shows that there is *BILE IN THE BLOOD.* It is true, drinking and over-eating overloads the stomach, but failure to assist nature in regularly disposing of the partially digested lumps of food that are dumped into the bowels and allowed to rot there, is what causes all the trouble. *CASCARETS* will help nature help you, and will keep the system from filling with poisons, will clean out the sores that tell of the system's rottenness. Bloated by bile the figure becomes unshapely, the breath foul, eyes and skin yellow; in fact the whole body kind of fills up with filth. Every time you neglect to help nature you lay the foundation for just such troubles. *CASCARETS* will carry the poisons out of the system and will regulate you naturally and easily and without gripe or pain. Start to-night—one tablet—keep it up for a week and help the liver clean up the bowels, and you will feel right, your blood will be rich, face look clean, eyes bright. Get a 50c box of *CASCARETS,* take as directed. If you are not cured or satisfied you get your money back. Bile bloat is quickly and permanently

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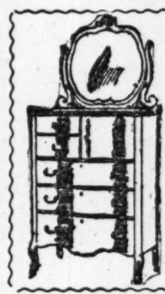

Chiffoniers. Fine Golden Oak Polished Chiffonier, oval glass, 16x20, French plate—would sell regularly $22 to $30; we will sell them all at one price. "YOUR CHOICE," $14.40

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Easter Entertainment.—The Nantasket Quartet will give an Easter entertainment and hop at South St. Louis Turner Hall, Tenth and Carroll streets, tonight. Prizes will be awarded for singing and athletic contests.

Old People's Home.—The first anniversary of the Old People's and Children's Home will be celebrated from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m., Monday, at 4237 Cote Brilliante avenue. Mrs. C. Land, assisted by Mrs. Malott, will have charge.

Ministers' Meeting.—The spring meeting of the St. Louis Association of Congregational churches and ministers will be held Thursday, April 11, at the Fountain Park Congregational church.

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JAMES CRONIN CHOSEN SPEAKER

Rozier Hotel Slate Fared Well With Delegates.

PARTY LINES WERE IGNORED

SEVEN REPUBLICANS HELPED THE DEMOCRATS TO ORGANIZE.

Council Selected Officers on Strict Party Vote, Joseph Boyce Being Chosen Vice-President and Geo. Mockler Secretary.

Both houses of the Municipal Assembly formed permanent organizations yesterday afternoon, and adjourned to meet in joint session in the council chamber at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon for the inauguration of Mayor Rolla Wells.

A crowd which filled the gallery and overflowed the floor of the House of Delegates witnessed the election and installation of James H. Cronin as speaker of that body. The Hotel Rozier caucus slate was carried through with but one change, Joseph N. Judge being substituted for Dennis Ryan as the choice of the majority for clerk. The officers elected were:

James H. Cronin, speaker.
John P. Sweeney, speaker pro tem.
Joseph N. Judge, clerk.
Nicholas Griffin, assistant clerk.
Mike Howard, sergeant-at-arms.
John Dowling, page.

Twenty members of the House, including Speaker Cronin, voted for the election of the slate candidates. They will form the working majority of the House. Seven members compose the minority, which voted for C. A. Windmueller for speaker, Chas. Messmer for clerk, N. G. Eaton for sergeant-at-arms and Alfred Life for page.

The members who voted for the Cronin slate are: James T. Brennan (Dem.), Twenty-sixth ward; John J. Burke (Dem.), Sixteenth ward; James H. Cronin (Dem.), Fifth ward; Charles J. Denny (Dem.), Sixth ward; Henry A. Faulkner (Dem), Twenty-third ward; Andrew Gazzolo, Jr., (Dem.), Fifteenth ward; Charles L. Geraghty (Dem.), Twenty-seventh ward; J. J. Hannigan (Dem.), Twenty-first ward; James J. Howard (Dem.), Seventeenth ward; Charles F. Kelly (Dem.), Twentieth ward; Ed Koeln (Rep.), Eleventh ward; Thomas E. Kinney (Dem.), Fourth ward; Gustav H. Overbeck (Rep.), First ward; Henry Pfeffle (Rep.), Seventh ward; Sam B. Stannard (Rep.), Nineteenth ward; Frank M. Stanze (Rep.), Second ward; John P. Sweeney (Dem.), Third ward; Charles Troll (Rep.), Eighth ward; John B. Williams (Dem.), Fourteenth ward; and Fred G. Zachritz (Rep.), Twelfth ward. Cronin was excused from voting on the call for the speakership and received 19 votes.

Minority Mustered but Seven Delegates.

The seven minority members are: William G. Buechner (Rep.), Twenty-fourth ward; Oliver J. Funsch (Public Ownership), Ninth ward; Otto F. Karbe (Public Ownership), Tenth ward; John H. Klute (Public Ownership), Eighteenth ward; Ed E. Murrell (Rep.), Thirteenth ward; Paul Reiss (Rep.), Twenty-eighth ward; C. A. Windmueller (Rep.), Twenty-fifth ward. Mr. Windmueller voted for himself for speaker.

The Twenty-second ward, in which the election commissioners decided the vote for the House to be a tie between John R. Fontana and H. W. McChesney, was not represented at yesterday's session. Fontana presented his credentials through Attorney Hiram Moore and Delegate Geraghty, and they were referred to the committee on election and registration, consisting of Burke, Kelly and Troll. This was the only permanent committee appointed yesterday by Speaker Cronin, and it is expected to render a report at Tuesday's meeting, accepting Fontana's credentials and seating him as delegate from the Twenty-second.

Delegate Burke, as the oldest member of the House, called that body to order at 3 o'clock. He was unanimously chosen as temporary speaker, and Delegate "Snake" Kinney was elected temporary clerk, Delegate Karbe receiving eight votes for that honor. Delegate Denny was made temporary assistant secretary, and Delegate Zachritz temporary sergeant-at-arms.

When the Fourth ward was reached in the roll call for nominations for speaker, "Snake" Kinney announced that he would yield to Geraghty of the Twenty-seventh. Geraghty nominated "Jim" Cronin in a neat speech. A half dozen members seconded the nomination. Hannigan and Kelly were among the number, and were loudly cheered. They had been considered opponents of Cronin.

Reiss of the Twenty-eighth nominated Windmueller, and appealed to the Republicans on the floor to support him. The progress of the vote showed that more than half the Republican members had forgotten party affiliations and climbed into the Cronin band wagon. Sam Stannard's vote for Cronin was a surprise to many, and was vociferously cheered.

Cronin Was Given American Beauty Roses.

After the new officers had been installed and a big bouquet of American beauties had been placed on the speaker's desk, a message from the mayor, identical with that read in the Council, and a communication from the comptroller were read. In compliance with a request contained in the comptroller's letter, the speaker appointed Kelly, Sweeney, Zachritz, Burke and Koeln as a temporary ways and means committee to assist in destroying old city bonds in the city treasurer's office.

Edward Butler sat on the steps leading to the speaker's desk during the entire session. Emmett Newton of Springfield sat near him. No attempt was made to enforce the rule excluding outsiders, and politicians of both parties mingled in the crowd on the floor.

Joseph N. Judge, who was substituted on short notice as the choice of the majority for clerk, has been a member of the police department for two years, and has lately been doing clerical work at the Ninth District station. He was for ten years a clerk in the office of the clerk of the criminal court. He lives at 2821 Gamble street. Dennis Ryan, the original slate candidate for clerk, decided that he did not want the place.

Nicholas Griffin, chosen as assistant clerk, has been secretary of the Democratic city committee for two years. He was formerly clerk in Judge Spalding's court.

Sergeant-at-Arms Howard is proprietor of a saloon on Market street, and has occupied his present position before.

John Dowling, the new page of the House, is 18 years old and lives at 311 Gratiot street.

Council Effects an Organization.

The new City Council was organized yesterday afternoon by the election of the following officials:

Vice-president, Joseph Boyce.
Secretary, George F. Mockler.
Assistant Secretary, Guy E. Golterman.
Sergeant-at-arms, Richard M. Wray.

No business was transacted. President-elect Hornsby called the session to order at 3 o'clock. The retiring secretary, Charles R. Graves, was chosen temporary secretary and read the mayor's proclamation, calling the new council together and directing its members to canvass the returns of the recent election, ascertain who was elected mayor and arrange for his installation. In addition to these technical suggestions, the mayor's proclamation announced that he forwarded to the council bonds of the following appointees, whom he had commissioned:

Frederick W. Ziegenhein, deputy harbor commissioner.

J. Fred Hussman and John H. Becker, deputy factory inspectors.

John W. McCloskey, clerk to the factory inspector.

President Hornsby announced that the bonds would be referred to the committee on municipal affairs when it was appointed.

A committee, comprising Messrs. Sheehan, Schnell and Hodges, was appointed to notify the mayor that the council was ready for the transaction of business. It reported that the mayor had no further business to suggest. A similar committee was appointed to notify the House of Delegates.

House Communicated With New Council.

In reply, a communication was received from Joseph N. Judge, the newly elected clerk of the house, stating that a committee had been appointed consisting of Messrs. Howard, Gazzolo and Stanze to arrange for the inauguration of the mayor-elect next Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. President Hornsby appointed a similar committee consisting of Messrs. Spiegelhalter, Gibson and Horton.

He also named Messrs. Hoffman, Newell and Gibson a temporary ways and means committee. It will aid in closing up the city's accounts for the fiscal year that is just ending.

The council then adjourned until Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. President Hornsby announced that the new committees would not be appointed for a few weeks.

The new council officials were elected by a strict party vote, the balloting being 7 to 6 in each case, except for vice-president, Horton voting for Boyce. The new officials were agreed upon at a caucus held before the meeting. William R. Faulkner, a son of Dr. Faulkner, superintendent of the mounted police stables was a candidate for the secretaryship, but was turned down for Mockler. Mr. Mockler has been, for the last two years, assistant secretary of the police board. Mr. Golterman is a young lawyer who has rendered the Democratic party efficient service as a campaign orator. Mr. Wray has been a deputy sheriff since Sheriff Dickman took office.

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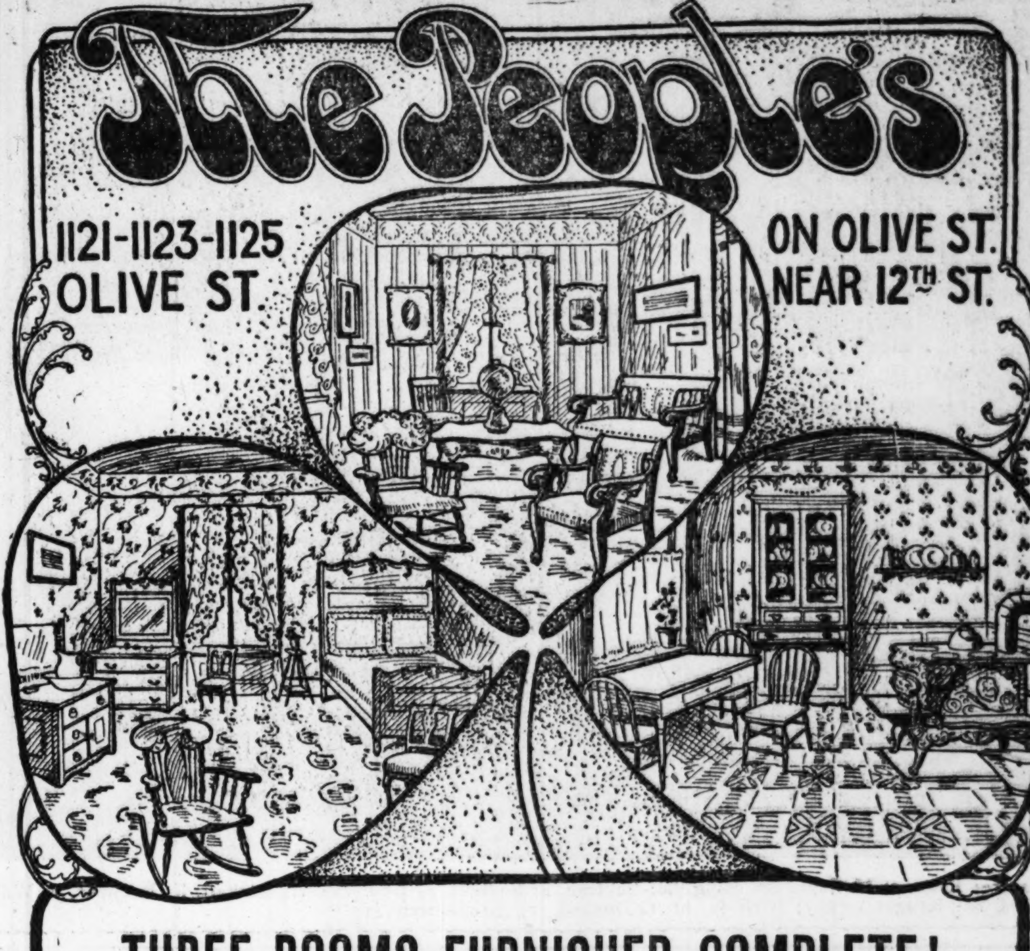
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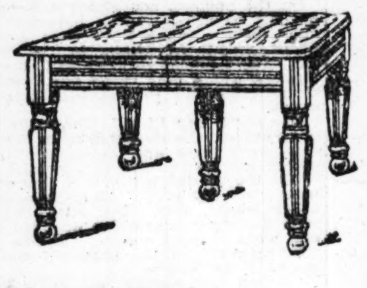

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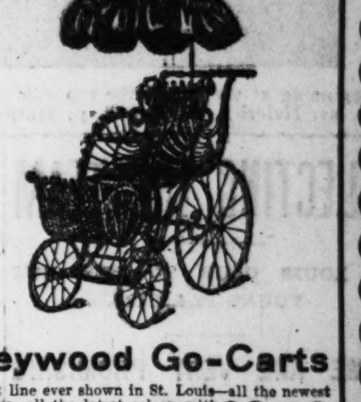

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American Apricots in Germany.

From Advance Sheets of Consular Reports.

Consul-General Guenther of Frankfort, under date of Feb. 13, 1901, calls attention to the fact that under the German law dried fruits which have been treated with sulphur are considered injurious to health and are liable to be confiscated, confiscation having actually taken place in several cities.

The consul-general further states that he has been shown two reports by the Chemical-Technical and Hygienic Institute of Frankfort relative to samples of dried California apricots, one of which samples showed the presence of 0.03376 per cent of sulphurous acid and the other 0.182 per cent.

If the authorities become cognizant of this fact, continues Mr. Guenther, not only will this fruit be confiscated, but the German dealers, rather than get into difficulties with the authorities, will discontinue the trade.

The consul-general adds that Germany's importation of California dried fruits is increasing, and advises United States exporters to be careful to observe the German laws and not subject their shipments to confiscation. The two consignments of apricots of which samples were analyzed were not shipped directly from California to Frankfort, but were procured from middlemen.

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Marseilles Dockers' Queer Language.

From the London Chronicle.

The dockers on strike at Marseilles mostly belong to a race which is quite distinct from the French inhabitants of the town. They speak and write a language of their own, which is a curious medley of Provencal and a degenerate Greek, with a thin strain of modern French. They live almost exclusively in the old part of the town, and proudly cherish and protect their language. One of the many effusions which were written and printed at the time of Mr. Kruger's arrival in Europe was in this dialect. Marseilles was founded by the Phoceans from Asia Minor 600 years before Christ, and up to the end of the fourth century A. D. was a center of Greek civilization. This fact accounts for the strange patois.

Gypsies in London and Hungary.

From the London Chronicle.

The gypsy families who invade London every winter are already preparing to take their departure into the country. Every year, with the approach of cold weather, thousands of these nomads come into London, and as regularly leave when warmer weather shows signs of approaching. When in town they frequent the suburbs, each family haunting the same district year after year, and setting up their "homes" on some convenient open space. Now and again they are dismayed to find a stately villa or a set of new shops occupying the old "pitch." Within the last ten years or so the gypsy folk have felt the pressure of English law and order severely, especially in the matter of the children's education. The old class of "Romany Rai" is in this way passing away and a new generation arising which talks modern Romany, and has discarded the old "deep" language, with its inflections, which is so interesting to students of philology.

Hungary used to be considered the paradise of the gypsies, but it is so no longer. An order is in force which compels every "Zigeuner" in Hungary to enter himself on census papers and other official documents as having a "settled place of residence." The Hungarian gypsy camp is a dangerous center of disease, and some time ago every "Komitat" in the country petitioned parliament that all persons of this class should be compelled to belong to some fixed town or commune. The attempt to convert these wanderers into settled parishioners met with strong resistance and they evaded the law wherever possible.

One of the pleasantest things about Boston's debt of nearly $54,000,000 is that she is perfectly able to owe it.

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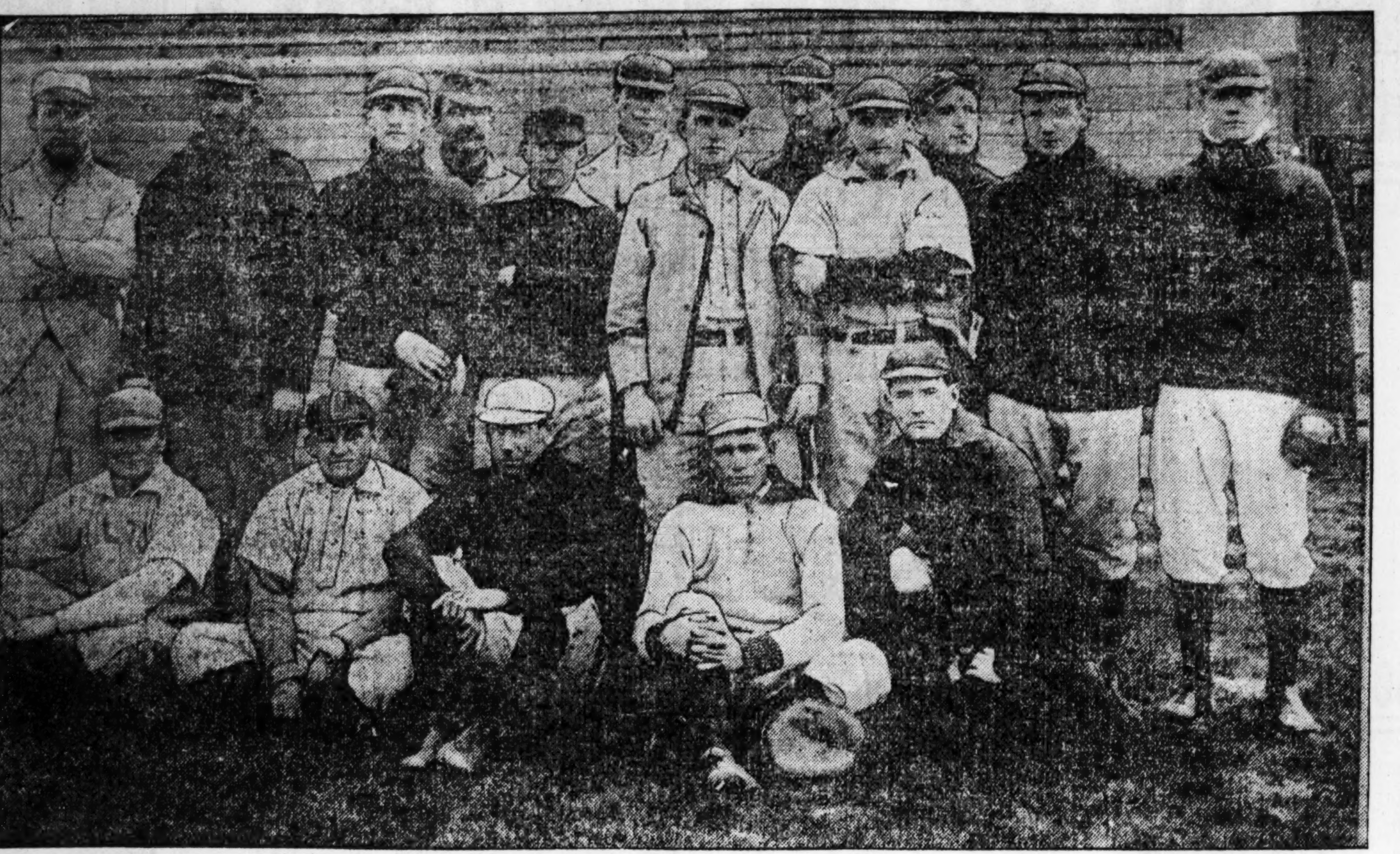
ST. LOUIS BASEBALL TEAM FOR THE SEASON OF 1901



Beginning at the left of the top row the players are: Ryan, c; McGann, 1b; King, 3b; Sullivan, c; Sudhoff, p; Donovan, rf; Burkett, lf; Knepper, p; Wallace, ss; Heidrick, cf; Powell, p; Harper, p; Childs, 2b; Kruger, utility; Nichols, c; O'Donnell, c; Breitenstein, p.

SELECTING THE TEAM

ST LOUIS CLUB TO TRY OUT YOUNG PLAYERS.

SOME ARE VERY PROMISING

Twelve Members of the Old Team Have Kept Faith With President Robison's Contracts.

The St. Louis baseball team for the season of 1901 seems practically completed, as far as the signing of players who are to be tried out is concerned.

Eighteen players have kept faith with the signatures given President Robison, and one more, Burkett, will probaby be soon secured. The trying-out process will begin at once, as, according to the National League rules, no team will be allowed to carry more than 16 players after May 15. Who the men selected will be is the absorbing question with the players and those interested in the welfare of the aggregation.

The following men may be considered certain of re-election: Ryan, Donovan, Burkett, Wallace, Heidrick, McGann, Nichols and Breitenstein.

The positions that will be filled by these men include the entire outfield, first base and shortstop, members of the catching staff and two for the pitching department. Of the remaining positions, the second base at present appears to be almost certain for Padden, leaving the big struggle to come at third. Kruger, Childs and King, supposing that Padden is capable of making good at second base, will fight it out at the last station, with chances very uncertain.

The men have not been worked out enough to do any safe forecasting, although Kruger, if he can steady up, should land the plum.

Neither the catching department nor the pitching staff will be complete with but two men each, and, if no new players are signed, it is probable that Sullivan and O'Donnell will both be retained to assist in backstopping, while it is reasonably certain that Jones and Sudhoff will help out the other pitchers.

Knepper and Harper will fight it out to see which of the two will be fortunate enough to hold his job, as five pitchers will probably be the limit of the staff. Knepper, "Big Knep," as he is called at League Park, is said to be a wonderfully improved twirler and is expected to gladden the hearts of the salary dispensers with pyrotechnical work.

Twelve of Last Year's Team Signed.

The list of team members shows that twelve of last year's men will be playing this season, but seven of the team being new men. Of these, none comes directly from the National League, though several have at times been signed by its organizations. This is not to be construed to mean that the men are not today qualified to travel in the major league. Some of them were new men when first taken on, farmed out to minor leagues and have probably improved greatly.

In fact, the new members seem to be an improvement on last year's men in one or two of the positions. Padden at second can surely do no worse than Keister of the 1900 team. Nichols, if his arm is right, will fill Criger's place, while Ryan comes to St. Louis with an enviable record. Childs and King did well last year, Childs in particular being the bright star of the Utica team in batting and fielding.

The weakness of the team, if one develops, will probably be in the pitching department. Breitenstein and Powell can be relied on to do uniformly good work, but the others have their bad days frequently. Powell has a bad inning occasionally, when both he and the team sail far into the air.

In spite of the talk of Breitenstein going back, on his last year's showing he should be the best of the curve dispensers for the local nine. His pitching average for 1900 Powell's record though not so good as Cy was exactly .500, which is better than Young's.

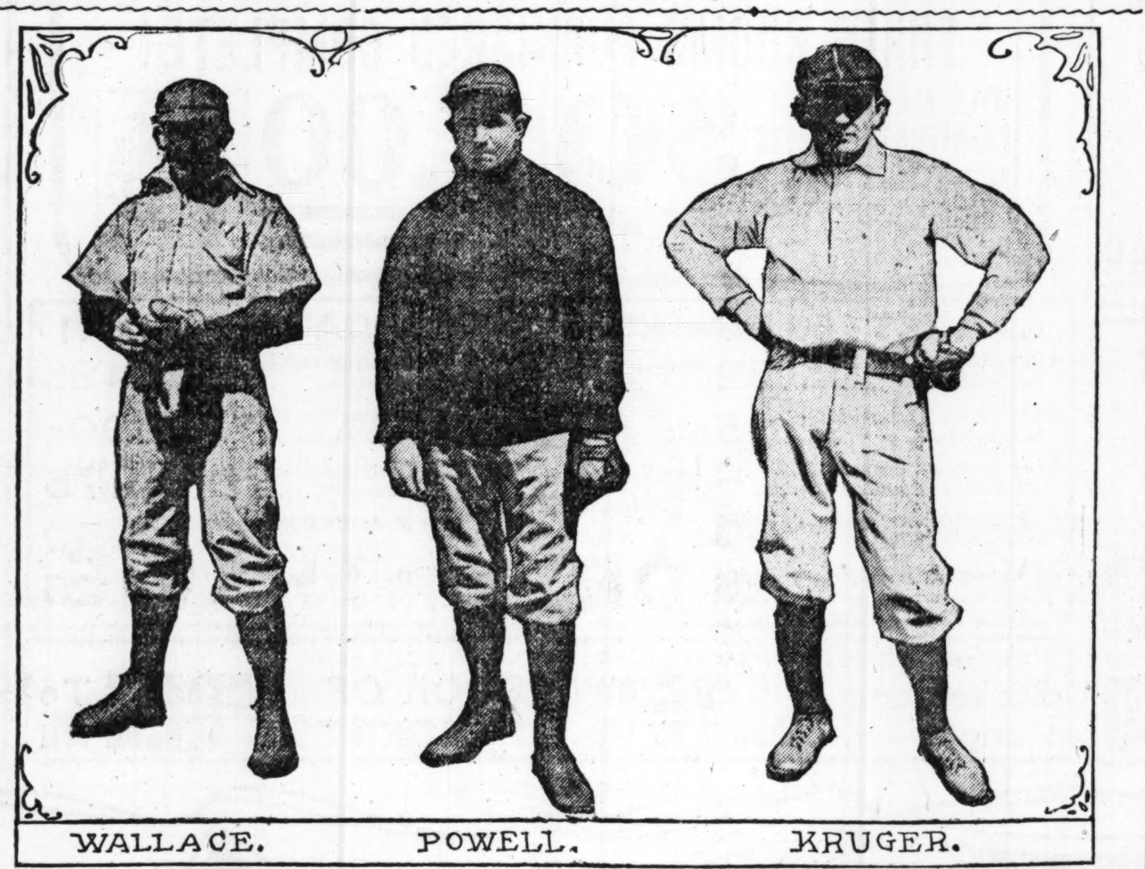
The catching department and third base will probably balance up well with the other positions of the team. Today the team does not appear to be the worst in the National League by many; if it is fortunate it may be a championship contender, though on paper it appears inferior to Brooklyn, Philadelphia and Pittsburg.

ST. PAUL TEAM CHOSEN.

Western League Club Will Carry Eighteen Good Players.

CHICAGO, April 6.—Jimmy Ryan, former captain of the Chicago National League Club today announced the make-up of his team at St. Paul in the Western League. He will carry 18 men as follows: Wilson, Holmes and Hunt, catchers; McGill, "Bumpus" Jones, Legore and Myroski, pitchers; Andrews or Werden, first base; Higgins, second; Holly, short; McKey, Williams or Whelan third. In the field, besides Ryan himself, are Larson, Kavanaugh and Parker.

A number of the players are from the Chicago city league, where they stood high. The men will report in St. Paul April 1[illegible].



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BELGRADE AND SPEEDMAS RAN A DEAD HEAT.

SPEEDMAS FORFEITED PURSE

Lost Chord Won Spring Steeplechase, Sidney Lucas the Handicap and Gwynne the Sweepstake.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—A dead heat between Belgrade and Speedmas in the fifth event was the feature at the Benning track today. "Father Bill" Daly, the owner of Belgrade, insisted on running off the heat, and the owner of Speedmas conceded the purse to him.

Summaries:

First race, six furlongs—The Rhymer 107 (T. Burns), 1 to 6, won; Magic Light 115 (Miles), 9 to 2, second. Time, 1:17 4-5.

Second race, 2-year-old fillies, half mile—Sweet Clover 114 (T. Burns), 3 to 5, won; The Hoyden 114 (T. Walsh), 9 to 5 and 1 to 4, second; Atheola 114 (Landry), 10 to 1, third. Time, :50 1-5.

Third race, the Second Spring Hunters' steeplechase, about two and a half miles—Lost Chord 135 (G. Green), 4 to 1, won; Eophone 132 (Saffell), 4 to 1 and 8 to 5, second; Sackett 166 (Carson), 4 to 5, third. Time, 5:01 2-5.

Fourth race, selling, five furlongs—Sweepstakes 87 (Fitzgerald), 30 to 1, first; Gwynne 99 (J. Slack), 11 to 5 and 4 to 5, second; Revonah 92 (Dart), 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:04 3-5.

Fifth race, selling, one mile and 40 yards—Belgrade 106 (Miles), 8 to 5 and out, and Speedmas 107 (T. Burns), 7 to 10 and out, dead heat; Charley Moore 113 (Seaton), 6 to 1 and 4 to 5, third. Time, 1:49 4-5.

Sixth race, handicap, seven furlongs—Sidney Lucas 118 (Van Dusen), 3 to 1, first; Alsike 105 (Brennan), 5 to 2 and 9 to 10, second; Lexington Pirate 108 (Wonderly), 5 to 2, third. Time, 1:32.

FRETTER BEAT YELLOW TAIL

Dominick Was in Front Three Times at Tanforan, but Was Outridden by Thorpe in Last Race.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 6.—Tanforan results: Weather clear; track fast.

First race, seven-eighths of a mile, selling—Eonic 103 (Dominick), 7 to 10, first; Tenny Bell 105 (O'Connor), 3 to 1, second; Tony Lepping 105 (Ransch), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:28¾.

Second race, nine-sixteenths of a mile, second trial stake, 2-year-olds (colts)—Corrigan 123 (Dominick), 2 to 5, first; B. M. Brattan 118 (Turner), 8 to 1, second; Royalty 115 (O'Connor), 8 to 1, third. Time, :55.

Third race, nine-sixteenths of a mile, 2-year-olds (fillies), stake—Ziri 120 (Dominick), 3 to 1, first; Flora Pomona 118 (Howell), 3 to 1, second; Dorene 118 (Turner), even, third. Time, 1:55½.

Fourth race, about two miles (short course), steeplechase handicap—Negligence 140 (Worthington), 15 to 1, won; Lord Chesterfield 127 (Young), 4 to 1, second; Periwig 145 (Hueston), 8 to 5, third. Time, 3:59.

Fifth race, mile and a sixteenth, selling—Gold One 103 (Dominick), 4 to 1, won; Astor 107 (O'Connor), even, second; Redwald 100 (Conley), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:49.

Sixth race, mile, purse—The Fretter 115 (Thorpe), 3 to 1, won; Yellow Tail 106 (Dominick), 6 to 10, second; Rosormonde 110 (Conley), 3½ to 1, third. Time, 1:42.

BREITENSTEIN. CHILDS.

Photographed by the Post-Dispatch.

BAPTISTE IS WILLING.

Will Wrestle Adamson if Match Shall Be in St. Louis.

George Baptiste, in reply to the challenge of Ed Adamson, the Louisville middleweight wrestler, to a wrestling match at catch-as-catch-can style for from $1 to $500, states that he is willing to meet Adamson if the match shall take place in St. Louis. He says he thinks $200 of his chances and is willing to wager that amount that he can throw the Kentucwy man two falis out of three. Baptiste says if Adamson will post a forfeit of $25 with some sporting man in St. Louis he will cover it at once.

Baptiste and Adamson met last December at Louisville and the local man thinks himself entitled to a match in his own country. When the men wrestled last year each secured one fall, but neither could put the other down in the final round and the match was declared a draw.

CURRENT SPORTING COMMENT

The theater-going public is about to suffer a severe blow if the latest reports from New York are to be believed. These state that Corbett, Fitzsimmons, Sharkey and McGovern are to figure on the stage in the same cast, the play being "The Bowery After Dark." Sam Harris, manager of Terry McGovern, conceived the diabolical scheme.

It occurred to his fertile mind that four stars should make a more attractive program than one.

The "Bowery After Dark" is not intricate, as might be supposed. Corbett is to take the part of a fight promoter. This is not particularly appropriate and may be the means of calling forth some sarcastic remarks. Still, Corbett was always long on conversation and may fill the bill. Sharkey will play the part of a policeman and will not burlesque it. Fitzsimmons is to portray the part of a refined criminal. Robert has not yet consented to appear in this light. McGovern takes the part of a newsboy who surprises the audience by his great virtue inasmuch as he is supposed to knock the villain out after a heated encounter.

Anyone who has sat through the exquisite scenes from that thrilling drama the "Honest Blacksmith," where one pugilistic star alone shines, can imagine three acts of four stars each on the same lines.

The public has some ground for hoping that the contemplated deed will not be perpetrated and the lanky Cornishman is the rock on which their hopes are built. Fitz, it is thought, will, after being an "Honest Blacksmith" for so long, not want to pose as a "refined criminal," as specified in the cast. It is expected that Fitzsimmon's better instincts will prevail.

On the posters, containing notices of the coming wrestling match between Jenkins and Roeber, which have been distributed about prominent places in the city, the man who reads as he runs will observe two phrases which may cause him some worry if he endeavors to discover their significance.

One is "A Tap Lick." The other is to be observed on the dashboards of the transit company's cars and announces that the match will be "on the up and up."

"On the up and up" can be figured out to mean "on the level," "on the square," in other words, fair. But those who have seen the other expression are still wondering what it may mean. Charles Haughton, manager of the proposed match, explains it as follows:

"A tap lick means a last, desperate chance. It is, on a bigger scale, what a boy undertakes when he wants awfully bad to get over a wall; he hardly thinks he can and, to force himself to make the effort, throws his hat over."

What connection the phrase has with a wrestling match is quite as unfathomable as the phrase itself. Manager Haughton, who is said to be responsible for its use on the posters, says:

"It means simply this. I have been in the promoting game in St. Louis for some time. I have never made anything out of it and I thought I would take a chance and bring a championship match here and find out whether the city is simply not sporty or whether the indifference was due to the lack of first-class talent. I have arranged for a championship affair. If it does not succeed, nothing ever will in this city. If it wins, I win; if it loses, I lose—and I can't afford to lose either my reputation as a promoter or my money. Considering the circumstances, I am taking a long chance—hence, a tap lick."

Phil Chew, secretary of the Kinloch Jockey Club, gave out the following statement concerning the future of the Kinloch track, yesterday:

"The request of the Kinloch Club, submitted to the Western Jockey Club at its recent meeting, that the local track be allonwed to change its dates to a 90-days' term, beginning May 11, was passed for action by the stewards before May 1. The club has made all necessary arrangements to open at that time and to run the full limit of the time alloted us by the Western Jockey Club."

BIG RACE IS ASSURED.

Boralma, The Abbott, Cresceus and Charley Herr Will Be Entries in Two Great Stake Events.

LEXINGTON, Ky., April 6.—Secretary Wilson of the Kentucky Trotting Horse Breeders' Association is being congratulated on bringing Messrs. Lawson and Scannel together for a meeting of Boralma and The Abbot here in October and, incidentally, the meeting of Cresceus and Charley Herr on the same day. Mr. Wilson said tonight:

"Mr. Scannel accepted the proposition for a race in a terse telegram immediately on receipt of our offer and Mr. Lawson's equally prompt acceptance has been made by mail. In Mr. Lawson's letter he additionally made two extremely generous propositions—one being that in the event he won, he would donate the entire stake to Lexington charities, and the other being that to insure the spectators that day at least one great race, in case his great young horse should not be as good as he thinks he will be, he will offer a purse of $5000, to be raced for by the grand stallions, Cresceus and Charley Herr, on conditions as determined by us. I think he will ask the owners of these two horses to pay an entrance fee of $1000 each and race for the $5000 under national rules, best three in five heats, the winner to get $5000 and the loser $2000. This generous action of Mr. Lawson is a big thing for us, as it enables us to give this additional race without going further into our pockets, for everybody knows that there is not one chance in a thousand of half the gate receipts netting $10,000."

MILWAUKEE MEETS CHICAGO.

Will Play at Athletic Park This Afternoon.

Hugh Duffy's Milwaukee American League baseball team will play a game with the Chicago American team at Athletic Park this afternoon, weather and condition of the grounds permitting. Capt. Comiskey arrived in St. Louis Saturday evening and is quartered at the Southern Hotel.

The Indianapolis team is also scheduled to play the Cardinals at League Park, but the condition of the diamond is such that Manager Donovan is doubtful if the game will take place.

The Sleeper Awakened.

From the Cleveland Plain Dealer.

There is a West Side boy who is quite daft on the subject of photography. He isn't satisfied with the mere taking of pictures—anybody can train a camera on a scene or a sitter—but he aims at securing novel effects, something out of the common run of subjects. At times this inclination leads him into unpleasant predicaments—though there is nobody like your devoted camera fiend for wriggling out of trouble; and sometimes it is unpleasant for the other fellow.

One evening not long ago he planned a surprise for his brother. Incidentally he meant to secure his portrait under circumstances that perhaps have never been exactly duplicated.

Usually he retires at a reasonably early hour, but this evening he was in no hurry. He waited until his brother was in bed and presumably asleep, and then he stole up to their room with his camera and a load of flashlight powder.

He listened for a moment to his brother's deep and regular breathing, and then he quietly planted his apparatus and prepared for action.

When all was in readiness he suddenly let out a wild war whoop, and as his startled brother arose in terror he touched off the flashlight and snapped the scene.

It may be imagined that the victim, when he had quieted down his trembling nerves, was determined to hammer the photographer good and plenty, but, as usual, the scamp escaped.

He calls his picture "The Sleeper Awakened," and thinks it is one of the best things in his collection.

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We want to talk or write to every man who is afflicted with Varicocele or its results—Nervous Debility and Vital Weakness. The question of good health should be of vital interest to every man; we cannot understand how any man will stand idly by and see his manhood slipping away from him, and his health being undermined, when he knows that he can be safely cured.

We have perfect confidence in our ability to cure every case of varicocele and lost manhood that comes to us for treatment, and we feel it is our duty to let suffering mankind know it. We give a written, legal guarantee in every case accepted and can prove to the most skeptical that we are doing just as we claim, by referring you to reliable business men, whom we have cured of these conditions, after all other treatments had failed. We have devoted our entire professional career to the study and treatment of special diseases of men, and the fact that we are doing the largest practice in St. Louis proves that we are skilled and successful in the practice of our specialty. Every patient receives our personal attention; you see no substitutes; when you place yourself in our care you may rest assured that you will receive the very best treatment obtainable, and that you will be cured in the shortest time possible. Do not delay. Consult us at once.

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Amateur Baseball Notes.

The Helens, formerly the Anchors, will line up this season with the following players: R. Watkins, catcher; W. Hennessey, pitcher; D. Sullivan, first base; A. O'Toole, second base; T. Kelly, third base; W. Dehaus, short stop; R. Miller, center field; F. Dehaus, right field; J. Haesch, left field and F. Lanshetter, sub pitcher. For games, address T. Haveland, The Boston.

The New Eras would like to hear from amateur clubs in or out of town. Address, L. Jarrett, 924 North Kingshighway.

The St. Vincents have organized for the season, and would like to arrange games with all teams in the 15-year-old class. The line of the St. Vincent team is as follows: Hertling, pitcher; Kruedelschieldér, catcher; Undersinger, first base; Gildemaster, second base; Klein, third base; Grummel, F. Gildemaster and Nuelle, fielders. Address challenges to R. Bulte, 910 Marion street.

The Sukey Reds will be ready for games on and after Easter Sunday. They play in the 16-year-old division. E. A. Brennan is manager.

The Orphan Boys will be in the field the coming season with the following players: Brown, pitcher; Rahm, catcher; Schneider, first base; Gildehaus, second base; Mueller, third base; Kleb, short stop; Stripe, left field; Dirkess, center field; Hass, right field. For games, address Fred Mueller, 2737 Winnebago street.

The St. Louis Juniors Knights of Father Mathew would like to hear from the following councils about forming a baseball league: Bridget's, Holy Name, Sacred Heart, Visitations and St. Malachy's.

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GENERAL SPORTING NEWS

PUBLIC SCHOOL LEAGUE
OF THE POST-DISPATCH
HAS TWENTY-SIX TEAMS

At a Meeting at the High School Yesterday Details of Organization Were Discussed by Club Captains.

The latest addition to the Post-Dispatch Public School Baseball League is the Grant School, whose application was filed Saturday afternoon. The league now numbers 26 teams, and a successful season is anticipated.

A meeting of the High School committee and the team captains was held at the High School yesterday and questions as to the management of the league discussed. Both the members of the committee and the team captains are enthusiastic over the prospects of the organization and the affairs of the meeting passed off rapidly and with gratifying harmony on all sides.

The subcommittee appointed to draw up rules for governing the league reported that they had not as yet completed the drafting of them and will make a complete report at the next meeting.

It was decided to leave the settlement of the question to the High School committee and at the next meeting of that body the position of the lower grade schools will be determined.

The most important subject discussed was that of the scheme of handling the large number of entries in such a way that the schedule will not be too lengthy. Two plan were suggested: first, to divide the number of entries into several leagues and have the winners in each play off the finals; second, to have the teams draw lots and play preliminary games to decide which ten or twelve teams should constitute the league. The latter scheme was the more popular with the team captains and it will probably be adopted.

Games wil start as soon as the bylaws have been drawn up and the schedule arranged. April 20 will probably be the date of the first game.

The question of grounds was taken up and it was found that twelve sites were available for the purpose, among them the High School diamond at Forest Park. The locations selected are convenient to all sections of the city.

It has been agreed unanimously that the playing rules of the American League of 1901 be adopted by the league and that the double umpire system be used. No regular staff can be appointed owing to the difficulty of finding boys to serve regularly. As the agreement now stands and will be incorporated into the bylaws of the league, each team will select one official for each game.

Owing to the fact that some of the grammar schools of the city have but six grades and consequently are at a disadvantage in the number and age of boys from whom to select a team, it was suggested that some allowance be made them.

Blow Defeated Walther College

Sporting Editor Post-Dispatch.

The Blow School team defeated the Walther College nine, 13 to 7, in a practice game Friday. The Blow School would like to arrange other practice games with any public school team.

For games address Fred Judge, 7102 Minnesota avenue.

Line-Up of Jefferson School

Lindsey p, H. Goldwasser c, B. Swartz 1b, H. Swartzberg 2b, Louis Ludwig 3b, Goldberg ss, Israel or Pletchek rf, Dudley Shaffner lf. Our captain is Ben Goldberg; manager, H. Dill.

Grand School Line-Up.

Sporting Editor Post-Dispatch.

Please enter the Grant School baseball club with the rest of the Post-Dispatch League.

I was a little late, but held out on account of players, who are as follows: J. Wolf 1b, W. Pickles c, F. Langford cf, R. Werges 2b, A. Wurtz p, J. Fisher rf, L. Mehrhoff 3b, C. Zimmer lf, G. Williamson, substitute.

EDWARD BUBE, ss and captain.

PAROCHIAL SCHOOL LEAGUE
AT MEETING OF CAPTAINS
ADOPTS A PLAYING SCHEDULE

Games Will Begin on April 20 at Places Already Selected and There Will Be at Least 14 Teams in the Organization.

The entry of the Sacred Heart school to the Post-Dispatch Parochial League swells the list of members of that organization to fourteen.

A meeting of team captains was held at St. Leo's school yesterday afternoon, and after discussing the matter decided to effect a temporary organization of their own until it can be found whether or not some of the collegiate institutions will take up the management of the league. An election was held and the following officers chosen: Frank Jutz of St. Leo's school, president; William Heany of St. Bridget's, vice-president, and Clarence Kimmins of Holy Name, secretary.

All the boys are enthusiastic over the prospects of the league, and so eager were they to begin games that it was decided that the first games would be played on April 20, and a partial schedule was arranged for that date, subject to approval of whatever authority may be finally selected to take charge of the league.

The schedule as it now stands is as follows:

St. Leo's vs. Holy Name, at Green Lea place.

St. John's vs. Theresa's, at St. Louis and Vandeventer avenues.

St. Bridget's vs. St. Malachy's, at Clark and Ewing avenues.

St. Lawrence O'Toole's vs. St. Michael's, at Second and St. Louis avenue.

St. Alphonsus vs. Perpetual Help, at Florrisant and Warne avenues.

St. Patrick's vs. Visitation, at Pendleton and Easton avenues.

The schedule will be complete to conform with the new names now in and St. Rose and the Sacred Heart will probably be scheduled to play on the same date.

American league rules for the year 1900 will be adopted in by the Parochial League, and the double umpire system, each team to chose one for each game.

The meeting adjourned highly pleased with its work and with the prospect of opening the season in the near future.

All team captains are requested to appear at the Post-Dispatch office Monday morning at 11 o'clock promptly on important business.

President Frank Jutz will notify each team captain of the object of the meeting.

OPENING WAS GLOOMY

MUD WAS DEEP ON THE NEWPORT TRACK.

ONLY THREE BOOKS OPERATED

CINCINATTI, O., April 6.—Racing at Newport today opened under disagreeable conditions. The weather was cold and rainy and the track was a sea of mud. The attendance was 1200 and the betting in consequence was light.

There were only three books in line. A half dozen bookmakers stood around ready to draw in, but were afraid to take a chance on account of the poor outlook for a big crowd. The racing was exciting and the crowd thoroughly enjoyed the sport Billy Bruen did splendid work with the flag.

There was plenty of horses at the track and the sport is bound to improve with favorable weather. The summaries:

First race, six furlongs—Foneda 105 (McCann), 5 to 2, won; Tuscarosa 105 (Bloss), 3 to 1, second; Tusculum 109 (N. Hill), 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:18¾. Nancy Till, Golden Rattle, Blackford, Uterp and Havelock also ran.

Second race, four furlongs—DeDbenture 108 (Hauck), 5 to 1, won; Lena A. 110 (Bloss), 4 to 5, second; Myrtle Dell 105 (McCann), 13 to 5, third. Time, :52½. Foundling, Mamie English, Queen Friese, Effect, Winona and Tuckpaw also ran.

Third race, mile, selling—Insurrection 104 (Bloss), 4 to 1, won; Jessie Jarboe 111 (McCann), 4 to 1, second; Chub 103 (M. Williams), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:50. Brother Fred, Geo. B. Cox, Eitholin, McCleary, Brown Vail, Poorlands, Get About and Clipsetta also ran.

Fourth race, four furlongs—Ben Hullum 107 (F. Thompson), even, won; George R. 110 (Wheeler), 15 to 1, second; J. Patrick 107 (Sotter), 15 to 1, third. Time, :53¼. Sea Pirate, Octo, Andy Williams and Linden Tree also ran.

Fifth race, seven furlongs, selling—Elsie Del 92 (L. Jackson), 5 to 1, won; Castine 104 (Lindsay), 8 to 1, second; Filibuster 106 (N. Hill), 3 to 2, third. Time, 1:353. Sara aGmp, Eous, Scotch Bramble, All's Well, Prince of Song, Canrobert, Peter Duryea, Hija and Sister Sadie also ran.

Sixth race, six furlongs—The Bronze Demon 110 (Hethersoll), 5 to 2, won; J. J. T. 110 (J. Moody), 3 to 1, second; Dissolute 115 (Bloss), 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:19¾. Goodale, Flop, Obstinate Simon, Sachem and Cean also ran.

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It doesn't make any difference what caused the weakness—whether bad habits in youth, or excess, or overwork, or business troubles. "CALTHOS" will effect a cure, no matter what big name the disease may be called by doctors.

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JENKINS' MEASUREMENTS
ACCORDING TO THE BERTILLON SYSTEM
ARE LARGER THAN ROEBER'S

Tom Jenkins and Ernest Roeber, the wrestlers who are the respective champions of the catch-as-catch-can and Greco-Roman styles of wrestling, were measured according to the Bedtillon system by Dr. F. D. Johns at the Four Courts yesterday. Chief of Police Kiely and Chief of Detectives Desmond were interested spectators.

The result gives Jenkins an appreciable advantage in nearly every important dimension. Roeber's right biceps and right forearm are larger than Jenkins', but aside from these, the Teuton has the worst of the comparison. The Cleveland mill worker is heavier, taller, larger of chest and expansion and has longer arms. Whether these physical advantages cut any figure in a wrestling match, the interested will have the opportunity of observing next Monday night at the Exposition Coliseum.

BERTILLON STATISTICS OF ROEBER AND JENKINS.

	Roeber.	Jenkins.
Age	39	28
Weight	191	196
Right forearm	13¼	13
Right bicep	17	16½
Neck	19	19½
Waist	39	37
Calf	17	17¼
Height	5 7	5 9⅝
Chest, normal	43	43¼
Chest, inflated	45	46
Expansion	4	5
Reach	5 11	6

HAVE HIGH AVERAGES

CENTRAL LEAGUE PLAYERS ARE IN THE LEAD.

DISTANCE ALL COMPETITORS

Situation Among Various Bowling Organizations of City Shows Few Changes During the Week.

The individual averages of the Central Cocked Hat League prove it to be the strongest organization of the kind in the city. Thirteen men are above 50, and six more are just below with records in over 50 games of over 49. Ryan leads, with an average for an even 50 contests of 54.96. Grath's record of 53.91 for 120 games is really better, but the figures do not show so well. Enderle is tied with Goetz for fifth place with an average of 51.98.

In the Central League standing, the Office Men are easy leaders with four games the better of the Acmes, who are second, being two games in front of the Druggists. The Granites, who with the Acmes, were too good for the West End League, are occupying the eighth and last position.

The Eagles still hold their position at the head of the Mound City League, being three games ahead of the Rialtos. The struggle for leadership is closest in the Junior Association.

The Benches are occupying the first position in that organization by one game, but their tenure of it is liable to be brief if the Bucks, the principal contenders, take one of their usual spurts.

In the World's Fairs the Victors are the winners, being three games ahead of the Westerns.

Central Cocked Hat League Averages.

Name.	Games.	Cock Pins.	Miss Pins.	Aver.
Ryan	50	1.32	2.98	54.96
Grath	120	1.24	2.20	53.91
Held	80	1.45	2.76	52.98
Rickart	115	1.40	2.80	52.71
Goetz	50	1.38	3.50	51.98
Enderle	115	1.44	3.60	51.98
Mitchell	50	1.88	2.08	51.76
Brenner	105	1.45	3.00	51.69
Bradford	75	1.74	2.78	51.59
Giessow	85	1.34	3.09	51.22
Bright	110	1.33	3.80	51.22
Schneider	50	1.64	2.64	51.10
Reyburn	50	1.36	3.80	50.95
Gieselman	125	1.17	4.20	49.71
Dierkes	90	.95	4.73	49.71
David	80	1.47	4.15	49.61
Sieberman	50	1.04	5.02	49.30
B. Bick	125	1.27	4.41	49.10
Neu	95	1.19	4.42	49.01
J. Braun	125	1.53	3.97	48.80
Schin	125	1.43	4.10	48.80
H. Hoberg	115	1.46	4.57	48.63
Mehagan	70	1.52	3.72	48.53
Bodeman	50	1.25	4.48	48.42
W. Bick	125	1.32	4.25	48.38
Nieman	85	1.34	4.60	48.28
Dougherty	115	1.46	3.96	47.96
E. Hoberg	80	1.25	3.98	47.95
Eyerman	121	1.48	4.38	47.73
D. Bick	125	1.37	4.56	47.68
G. Dammert	115	1.25	4.47	47.55
Maher	80	1.51	4.17	47.44
Weltz	120	1.28	5.03	47.16
L. Dammert	125	1.27	4.93	47.11
Kahn	50	1.75	4.15	46.58
Black	89	1.23	5.66	46.24
Farnley	108	1.70	4.91	46.00
Bickel	60	1.23	5.58	45.91
Bronnekamp	110	1.28	5.54	45.60
Wycoff	59	1.55	5.18	44.96
Garvin	50	1.48	6.02	44.22
Handy	50	1.32	6.90	41.92
Less than 50 and more than 25 games:				
Owen	45	1.51	4.13	48.24
Donndmann	33	1.15	5.12	47.60
McBride	30	1.23	5.30	47.56
Helmer	38	1.45	5.52	47.52
Klieforth	35	1.56	4.54	47.28
White	26	1.03	5.76	46.26
Haffel	41	1.19	6.12	43.87
Dicknite	30	1.53	5.10	43.00
Holt	40	1.27	7.37	40.97
W. Braun	25	1.20	8.28	37.84

Team Averages Central Cocked Hat League.

Name.	Games.	Cock Pins.	Miss Pins.	Aver.
Acme	250	1.52	2.98	52.14
Office Men	625	1.43	3.65	50.29
Druggists	625	1.40	3.74	50.08
Brokers	625	1.30	4.33	48.74
Southerns	625	1.29	4.58	47.85
Crescents	625	1.40	4.79	47.52
Cosmos	625	1.37	5.00	46.66
Granites	250	1.35	5.68	45.19

Junior Association Standing.

Name.	W.	L.	Name.	W.	L.
Benches	27	13	Banks	17	23
Bucks	26	14	Castoffs	15	25
Regents	23	17	Debutantes	12	28

This week's schedule: Monday—Regents vs. Castoffs. Wednesday—Debutantes vs. Bucks, and Benches vs. Banks.

High Ind. single game	L. Dammert	84
Second high ind. game	Dirkes	83
Second high ind. game	Rickart	
Second high ind. game	Boweman	
High ind 5 games	Enderle	341
Second high ind. 5 games	Grath	328
Team high single game	Druggists	333
Second high single game	Office Men	330
Second high 5 games	Southern	1398
Second high 5 games	Druggists	1388

Central League Standing.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Office Men	34	16	Crescents	21	29
Acmes	30	20	Brokers	21	29
Druggists	28	22	Cosmos	21	29
Southerns	28	22	Granites	17	33

This week's schedule: Monday—Granites vs. Office Men on Crescent and Druggists vs. Brokers on Acme alleys. Tuesday—Southerns vs. Cosmos, on Crescent and Crescents vs. Acmes on Acme alleys.

Mound City League Standing.

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Eagles	39	26	Consumers	32	33
Rialtos	36	29	Blue Ribbons	27	38
Royals	35	30	Daytons	26	39

This week's schedule: Wednesday—Daytons vs. Blue Ribbons on Acme alleys. Friday—Eagles vs. Royals on Crescent and Consumers vs. Rialtos on Acme alleys.

World's Fair League Standing

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Victors	38	22	Shenandoahs	30	30
Westerns	35	25	El Reys	24	36
Ann Avenues	35	25	Hickorys	24	36
Towers	31	29	Dolmans	23	37

Next week's schedule: Tuesday: Dolmans at home to Westerns; Shenandoahs at home to Victors. Thursday—Ann Avenues at home to Towers; El Reys at home to Hickorys.

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WAIN A'MORNEN WON

LATE ENTRY CAPTURED ARDELLE STAKES AT MEMPHIS.

MADE DISTANCE IN GOOD TIME

Hessig and Bengal Made False Start and Nearly Covered Distance Before Discovering Error.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 6.—Wain A'Mornen, by The Commoner—Matilda, owned by Talbott Brothers, was added at the last moment to the list of starters in the Ardelle Stakes for 2-year-olds at Montgomery Park today, and justified the confidence of her owners and backers by winning handily by a length from Drummond, who beat The Boston a head for second money. The race was run in :50½, good time for the track.

In the first event, for 2-year-olds, at four and a half furlongs, Belle's Commoner, by The Commoner—Battle Belle, won in a hard drive by a nose from South Elkhorn, with H. L. Coleman, the favorite, third. J. Woods, who rode Coleman, averred that South Elkhorn fouled him at the head of the stretch and the judges allowed the claim, placing Coleman second.

In the second race, a selling affair at six furlongs, Pirate's Queen ruled favorite, with Bengal and Fred Hessig well supported in the ring. To a false start, Hessig and Bengal raced to the far turn before discovering their error. The race was won handily by Chorus Boy, who beat Expelled a length. Summaries:

First race, four and one-half furlongs, 2-year-olds—Belle's Commoner 118 (Winkfield), 5 to 1, won; H. L. Coleman 108 (J. Woods), 2 to 1 and 4 to 5, second; Ardita 113 (Gilmore), 10 to 1, third. Time, :57. Rud Hyncka, Parnassus, The Way, Badger, South Elkhorn and Pribeloffe also ran.

Second race, six furlongs, selling—Chorus Boy 111 (Robertson), 10 to 1, won; Expelled 111 (W. Kiley), 10 to 1 and 4 to 1, second; Curd Gillock 100 (Coburn), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:16½. Echodale, Dode, Zaza, Burgoyne, Franklin Belle, Quite Right, Fred Hessig, Watercrest, Pirate's Queen, Caruthers and Bengal also ran.

Third race, mile, selling—Nannie Nolan 96 (Coburn), 2 to 1, won; Lee King 104 (J. Woods), 7 to 1 and 2 to 1, second; Domsie 104 (J. Miller), 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:42¾. Dieudonne, George Lee, Swordsman, Rhinelander, Two Annies, El Caney, Eda Riley and King Elwood also ran.

Fourth race, four furlongs, Ardelle Stakes—Wain A'Mornen 115 (J. Miller), 6 to 1, won; Drummond 115 (Winkfield), 3 to 1 and even, second; The Boston 115 (Irwin), 10 to 1, third. Time, :50½. Autumn Leaves, The Fashion, Reap, Lady Bird, Tennie F., Kentucky Muddle, Evening Star, Marque and Sally Green also ran.

Fifth race, about a mile and a quarter, selling; steeplechase; short course—Miss Ransom 139 (Kelly), 2 to 1, won; Seidenbach 149 (Caddy), 10 to 1 and 4 to 1, second; The Populist 153 (Ellison), 3 to 1, third. Time, 2:54. Dick Furber, Basle, Terry Ranger, Valid, Mr. Rose and Tricolin also ran. Dick Furber, Tricolin and Valid ran out. Basle fell.

Sixth race, six furlongs, selling—Maud Gonne 103 (O'Brien), 4 to 1, won; Clorita 107 (Winkfield), 2 to 1 and 4 to 5, second; Myth 107 (Coburn), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:14¾. Piramo, John C. Vaupel, Kindred, Tom Middleton, Janowood, Petit Maitre, Senex, Gloria and Braw Lad also ran.

STOLE COMMISSARY CHECKS

Bookkeeper and a Woman Arrested at Ensley, Ala., Had a Negro Woman Accomplice.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., April 6.—More like pages from a dime novel than real life is the story of J. A. Shivers, bookkeeper for the Ensley Liquor Co., and Mrs. Daisey Smith, a pretty young woman, who has a child and husband, but does not live with them. The man and woman were arrested in Ensley yesterday evening on the charge of embezzling $1000 worth of commissary checks from Mr. Shivers' employer. They were found in a sumptuous apartment, furnished new throughout.

As soon as the officers informed Shivers what he was wanted for he drew a knife and cut himself in the throat several times before he could be stopped, inflicting a dangerous wound. Hearing that the woman had recently purchased tacks to nail down a carpet, the officers ripped up the carpet and found the missing checks there. The scheme to defraud was worked cleverly.

Carrie Woods, a negress, was employed as accomplice. Mrs. Smith would pass by the Ensley Liquor Co., giving the signal, and Mr. Shivers would throw out an apparently empty cigar box. The negress would come by later and pick up the box which contained checks and hand it over to her mistress. The young man feels his disgrace keenly and he threatens to try again to kill himself if the first attempt does not succeed.

THE ARMY MULE IS DISTRAIT

The English Refuse to Buy More of Him Because They Are Getting Overstocked.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 6.—The horse and mule contractors at the stock yards had no intimation until today that there was a possibility of the English government's withdrawing its representatives here. The English have purchased 310 mules this week and have three men here today inspecting purchases. Co. De Burgh left Kansas City Thursday night, and at that time left no intimation that he had been advised of any change of plans.

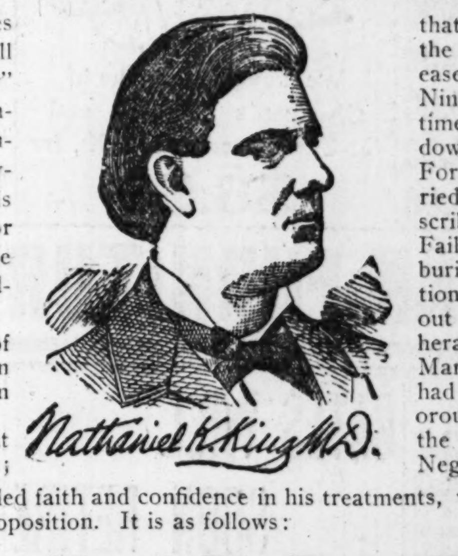
The suit in the federal court at New Orleans did not surprise or alarm any one, but the English have all the mules and horses they need for the summer, and a different phase of the situation is presented. So long as the army mule is wanted it would be easy to keep up a good English trade, but as the English government cannot buy here, private firms can and ship to London, where it will be hard to make sales to the government.

The surplus animals have been sold and the supply is not very heavy, but new mules are growing and the farmers are turning them on the market steadily. The English bought 14,000 mules in Spain and Italy last summer, and it is possible that Europe can furnish what is needed now cheaper than they can be bought here and shipped across the ocean.

DON'T BE MISERLY WITH NATURE!

Don't stint the wants which nature needs to help throw off disease. The voice of your body crying for help is the symptom of sickness. A whole life may be snuffed out by an unheeded symptom, such as varicose veins; drawing pains of the parts; spots before the eyes; dizziness; failing memory, loss of sleep, unnatural drains, weak backs and pimples.

Nature may be losing the battle of life. The frightful tension of disease makes strong men mere weaklings. Your health is the only fortune which brings true happiness and which you should guard with unceasing watchfulness. Long lives are the harvest of good health. Be prompt in seeking the source of true health—by calling or writing to Dr. Nathaniel K. King of St. Louis.



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VARICOCELE Is a disease of the return circulation of the testicles, gradually implanting itself on the spermatic cord, testicles and surrounding tissue, resembling greatly a group of earth worms. Its symptoms are manifest in dull, heavy, dragging pains in the small of the back—extending down into the parts—low spirits, nervous debility, partial or complete loss of sexual power and frequently a decline in general health. Dr. King's treatment of Varicocele is safe, painless and bloodless—being entirely free from surgery. It removes every drop of stagnated blood and every fiber of diseased tissue.

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WILL FERRET FRAUDS.

Messrs. Johnson and Blair Repeat Offer of Reward.

For several days prior to last Tuesday's election public announcements were made by Attorneys John D. Johnson, Republican, and James L. Blair, Democrat, that they would furnish substantial rewards to persons who would procure evidence against any one perpetrating an election fraud or aiding or abetting in the commission of one.

Now that the election is over and that the cry of fraud has been raised, these attorneys announce that they propose to carry out their ante-election promises and not only pay the rewards they offered, but vigorously prosecute all persons against whom conclusive evidence is presented.

They issued the following statement last night:

To the Public:

The undersigned have been selected to represent a committee of 100 leading citizens of St. Louis of both political parties, formed for the purpose of detecting and punishing election frauds committed on April 2, 1901. Rewards have been publicly offered and will be paid in accordance with public notices widely circulated prior to the election. It is of the utmost importance to this community that all such frauds should be detected and speedily punished. The committee of gentlemen whom we represent are thoroughly in earnest in this matter, and are desirous that prompt information be sent us while the facts relating to such frauds are still fresh in the minds of those conversant with them, and the evidence thereof is accessible.

To this end all persons are hereby requested to furnish to the undersigned as quickly as possible such information as they may have relating to fradulent acts committed at said election. Every case will be fully and carefully investigated, and every person found to be guilty will be promptly and vigorously prosecuted.

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1006 Carleton bldg.

MINERS WIN A VICTORY.

Illinois Operators Grant Most of the Demands Made.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 6.—The conference of coal miners and operators of the Springfield sub-district succeeded in reaching an agreement this evening. The agreement reached amounts to a practical victory for the minors, the only demand that they receded from being for free oil and cotton for drivers and other day laborers in the mines. The price of oil was made uniform at 50c a gallon. Other rates fixed by the agreement are as follows, being increased from the old rates:

Drivers, $2.25; tracklayers, $2.35; timbermen, $2.35; timbermen helpers, $2.10; tracklayers' helpers, $2.17; greasers, when men, $2.17, and when boys, $1.07. All men are to be permitted to work single after Oct. 1, and after that date there will be but one firing time each day, and that just before quitting work at night. All mines that have been idle for the past few days will resume operations on Monday.

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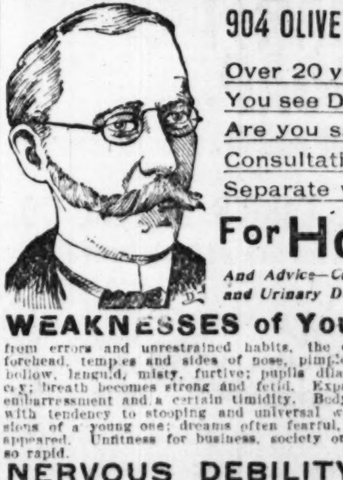

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LEGAL NOTICES.

LEGAL NOTICE—Whereas Alfred Carr, on the 19th day of September, 1898, executed his negotiable promissory note, dated St. Louis, September 19th, 1898, whereby for value received he promised to pay one year after date, to Mary G. Bankhead, twelve hundred and fifty ($1250) dollars, with interest from maturity, at the rate of 8 per cent per annum, and at the same time pledged and delivered as collateral security to secure the payment of said note one certain note executed by said Alfred A. Carr, payable to the order of James McCausland, dated September 1st, 1898, due in two years after date for the sum of eighteen hundred ($1800) dollars and secured by deed of trust on the one-third interest of said Alfred Carr in twenty-one thousand acres of land in the counties of Perry, Hickman and Humphreys in the State of Tennessee. Said note to McCausland is endorsed by the payee without recourse, and at the same time by a written instrument said Carr authorized the payee or holder of the said note dated September 19th, 1898, upon default in the payment of same at maturity, to sell or cause to be sold, the said note to McCausland dated September 1st, 1898, in the sum of $1800, at public or private sale, with or without notice or demand of any sort, at such place and on such terms as he may deem best; and whereas payment of said note of $1250 has been demanded and said note is now past due and remains unpaid; now, therefore, the undersigned, the payee and said holder of note, will, in pursuance of the provisions of said written instrument, sell said note dated September 1st, 1898, for $1800, and secured by deed of trust as aforesaid, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, at the east front door of the Courthouse in the City of St. Louis, Mo., on Wednesday, April 17th, 1901, between the hours of 12 o'clock noon and 2 o'clock p. m. on that day, to satisfy said note.

MARY G. BANKHEAD.

ROBERT L. M'LARAN, Attorney.
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CITY NEWS.

Now that Lent and Easter will soon be things of the past, Crawford's, as never before, are prepared, as no other store is, to serve high and low, rich and poor, with the necessaries of life in every kind of goods for their own personal adornment and for the furnishing and furbishing of their homes, and all at prices that no other store can touch.

NOT MRS. CARTER'S CLOTHES

Sheriff Cannot Levy on Actress' Wardrobe, as It Is Mr. Frohman's Property.

OMAHA, Neb., April 6.—Sheriff Power today attempted to levy on the wardrobe and jewels of Mrs. Leslie Carter to satisfy a judgment held against her for service rendered by Dr. Clarke Capen, formerly of Omaha, but now a resident of Chicago, for services rendered in a medicolegal capacity during a divorce suit some years ago.

The judgment with interest is now said to amount to $1800. Mrs. Carter's manager insisted that she is the possessor of no property and that the wardrobe and jewels she wears are owned by Charles Frohman of New York. Previous attempts have been made to collect the judgment during Mrs. Carter's Omaha engagements.

To Whom It May Concern.

If your bath tub is not inviting, make it so by using Aluminum Bath Tub Enamel. Platt & Thornburgh Paint Co., Seventh and Franklin avenue.

Virtues of Goat's Milk.

From the Paris Journal of Medicine.

Goat's milk has the advantage over cow's milk of being free from tubercle bacilli, and can be taken quite fresh. Contrary to general opinion, the taste is not disagreeable if the animals are properly selected and properly kept, being considered of a more delicate flavor than cow's milk. The quantity of fats, caseine and salt varies greatly in the different varieties of goat. For infants and dyspeptics the weaker milk may be chosen, while the stronger answers better for debilitated subjects.

ANTINARCOTIN-- MARVELOUS WORK.

Morphinism and Alcoholism Permanently Cured in a Rapid and Painless Manner by a Marvelous Scientific Discovery.

The city of St. Louis has a Sanitarium, which is destined to become famous throughout the civilized world. At this sanitarium men and women are treated for the drug and liquor habit. The treatment is a marvelous scientific discovery; through it the excessive user of drugs and liquor is permanently cured in a few days without pain. Hundreds of people who had suffered for years are loud in their praise for this rapid and painless treatment, which cures them without exercise of will power. Dr. John A. Hull of Lamonte, Mo., writes: "I have been using Morphine for the last forty years until my health was so badly impaired I could scarcely walk and had no appetite. I am 68 years old and have been gaining a pound a day since my return home, after spending but one week in your Sanitarium. I have been practicing medicine for forty-five years, and this is the only treatment that I know of which permanently cures the excessive user of drugs. With your wonderful treatment the patient is put back into normal condition, without pain. To all who know me, I am a living testimonial of the rejuvenating effects of your treatment." Dr. Hull wrote the above Oct. 31, 1898, and has never, according to a statement made by him, had one moment's desire for the drug, which for so long held him a slave. The treatment is a purely vegetable compound, it not only eliminates all trace of the drug and liquor from the system, but eradicates all desire and dispels all distressing symptoms, such as nervousness, weakness, etc., and builds up the entire system. The Anti-Narcotin Sanitarium is located at 3016 Lucas avenue, St. Louis. Any one calling will not only receive a courteous welcome, but at the same time will be given fullest information, or if you send your name and address to Mr. G. H. Roose, the manager, you will receive a beautiful booklet, giving you the vital principles of this wonderful treatment, also testimonials of wonderful cures, from men and women who, through actual test, know of the efficaciousness of this grand boon to humanity. If any of our readers have friends or acquaintances who are suffering, they should send the names of those sufferers to the Sanitarium. All communications will be held confidential.

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GATES WILL SOON RETIRE

Steel Magnate Will Give Young Men a Chance.

A BULL ON STEEL STOCKS

EXPECTS THE ANNUAL EARNINGS TO REACH $125,000,000.

He Thinks Close Economy Will Make Money for the Combine, Which Will Have Its Own Ship Lines.

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FACTS ABOUT THE BIG STEEL TRUST.

John W. Gates gives the Post-Dispatch these steel combine figures:

Probable annual earnings, $125,000,000.

Dividend, common stock, 6 per cent.

The number of employes, 250,000.

Daily pay roll, $2,000,000.

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Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, April 6.—John W. Gates will retire soon from the office of Chairman of the American Steel and Wire Company and take a long trip abroad. He has just returned to Chicago from New York after an absence of three months, and said he expected to resign as he felt that he had worked a good many years and ought to give younger men a chance. He will retire from active business for a while.

Mr. Gates said the organization of the United States Steel Corporation had been a great success and expressed himself as strongly bullish on the steel stocks.

"I think United States steel stocks will sell much higher," he said. "But I believe the general list—the railroad stocks—have gone about high enough."

The union of the principal steel companies, he said, would give stability to the market for iron and steel such as never has been known.

"The concerns which were formed into the new consolidation," he said, "represent the active energy of the various iron and steel manufacturers of the country. I presume eventually that the company will have its own line of ocean vessels to handle its export products.

"By maintaining present prices and operating on an economical basis I think the company will earn from $100,000,000 to $125,000,000 a year," said Mr. Gates.

"I see no reason why the company cannot pay the interest on its bonds, the dividend on its preferred stock and 6 per cent on common stock from the start. The earnings of the various companies were something over $100,000,000 per annum. I believe last year they were $110,000,000, but by operating from an economical standpoint that will be made."

"How about the story that you lost $500,000 in the bull movement in Rock Island?"

"Nothing in it. I do not say the rails are high enough."

RECOGNITION FOR LABOR.

Gov. Dockery Will Give to It the Appointment of Labor Commissioner.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., April 6.—It is claimed here tonight by those who are in a position to know, that Gov. Dockery has decided to give the appointment of state labor commissioner to the labor organizations of the state. It is also claimed that the appointment will be made in the early part of next week and that a St. Louis man will get it.

It seems that the recent Democratic victory in St. Louis has caused the governor to feel that he must recognize the labor organizations, and he has decided to give them this appointment. There are now some twenty applicants for the place, but it is believed the governor may go outside of these applicants and select a new man.

Indiscreet Publicity.

From the New York Mail and Express.

While the foreign naval attaches at Washington may be annoyed at the limitations which the government has placed upon the information to be given to them from the various bureaus of the navy department, the wisdom of Read Admiral Crowninshield's order concerning the matter is beyond question. He has notified the chiefs of bureaus that henceforth all information of any nature concerning naval vessels, plans, guns and kindred subjects must be withheld from foreign attaches, and that if the latter desire such information they must apply to the chief of the intelligence office, whose duty it will be to consider whether the requests can be granted without detriment to national interests. The absolute freedom which foreign attaches have hitherto enjoyed in gathering information as to the affairs of the navy was an imprudent concession, and there is reason to believe that it has been frequently abused. Within certain limits the privilege is proper and unobjectionable, but to admit these foreign officers to full knowledge of all the work of naval construction and equipment was an absurd practice, and it has been stopped none too soon.

Removal Notice.

Budweiser Beer & Wine Co. will move to and be ready for business in their new building at 815 Locust street, Tuesday, April 9, and will be pleased to see their patrons.

He Will Be Taken Care Of.

If Funston were in the British army he would receive all sorts of decorations.—Pittsburg Chronicle Telegraph.

ANOTHER BIG WEEK

Tomorrow we put extra life in our great sale of $100,000 worth of Eastern-made Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes.

ALL BROKEN LOTS

Have been thrown in with lots lower in price. Come in early and get the cream of the

Monday Bargains.

39c *See what 39c will buy* **AT HILTS.**

500 pairs of Women's, Misses' and Children's Kid Slippers, worth up to $1.00.

Children's and Infants' 75c Black and Tan Shoes, 1 to 5, and 5 to 8.

Men's and Women's fancy embroidered velvet imitation alligator slippers, worth 50c.

Misses' and Children's Oxfords and Sandals, tan or black, regular 75c quality.

Fifty-nine cents buys a corking pair of Women's, Misses' and Children's high or low shoes, in tan or black, some worth up to $1.50, about 1800 pair from which to choose **59c**

69c Out of the Buffalo and Cleveland purchase we have left 1800 pairs of Boys', Youths' and Little Gents' Shoes, in black or tan. Not a shoe worth less than from $1.00 to $1.25.

A grand array of footwear, All late toes and nobby lasts. All leathers and sizes for men and women. Usual price $2.... **97c AND $1.19**

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1c	3c	9c
a pair Men's and Women's SANITARY INSOLES.	for Tan or Black Paste for shining shoes, worth 10c a box.	For Infants' Soft Sole Lambskin Moccasins, worth 25c.

$1.59—1800 pairs of Men's Vici, Box Calf, Satin Calf and Patent Leather Shoes, medium and light soles. All widths and sizes. Regular value $2.25 and $2.50.

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$2.19—1750 pairs of Men's and Women's High-Grade Footwear. Black, tan and patent leather. All sizes and widths. Strictly stylish and a $3.50 quality.

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Men's and Women's $3.00 grade at	$2.50
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Men's and Women's $2.00 grade at	$1.50

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Regular $2.00 values at	$1.50
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PURE GOLD CROWNS	$3.00
GOLD FILLINGS from	75c up
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Open Evenings till 8. Sundays, 9 to 1.

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Hidden Wealth in Texas.

From the Houston Post.

Pig iron has scored a $1 advance per ton within the past month. And millions upon millions of dollars' worth of the finest ore in the world is lying ever in east Texas without any disposition on the part of capital to work it up!

WHY ADVERTISING IN DENTISTRY IS NOW A NECESSITY.

Until recently advertising has been considered unprofessional among the better class of dentists, but now some of the most advanced specialists find it necessary to call the attention of the public to the fact that they have adopted many valuable progressive methods in their practice, thereby guaranteeing greater satisfaction to their patrons. The introduction of these improvements is very expensive and requires a special course of instruction and study, consequently few dentists are enabled to offer the public these advantages, and the specialists, in justice to themselves and patrons, feel in duty bound to announce the fact.

Teeth Extracted Without Pain.

We are the best and most careful painless extractors in the city, having extracted for 200,000 people in past ten years. No charge for painless extracting when new teeth are ordered.

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We will devote particular attention to the implantation of teeth. The operation, although not a new one, is rarely performed by the ordinary dentist. Absolutely no pain accompanying the operation.

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is successfully treated and cured by us. By the action of this disease the teeth become loose, and if not arrested it will occasion their loss. The discharge from these inflamed surfaces is of the most poisonous character; in addition to that discomfort is the offensive odor of the breath.

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SILVER FILLING	Free
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It must be a great strain to be so popular.

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Continuous Vaudeville,

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The sensation of two continents—Most Marvelous Juggler the World Has Ever Seen—A Unique and Startling Exhibition.

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Connoisseurs of the Art Comique. Offering Their Latest Conversational Absurdity, "The Intruder."

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Wed. Eve., LUCIA	*Messrs. Delamotta, Davies, Clarke, Paull and Misses Rennyson, McGahan.*
Thurs. Eve., TROVATORE	*Messrs. Sheehan, Goff, Boyle, Rogers and Misses Norwood, Graham and Ramey.*
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TWO BRILLIANT PROGRAMS

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Editorial Section.

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THIS MAN HAS LIVED TWO LIVES, EACH UNCONSCIOUS OF THE OTHER

The Last Seventeen Years of His Existence Entirely a Blank, Although in That Time He Married and Has Now Four Children.

HIS MEMORY WAS LOST IN TRAIN WRECK IN 1884.

A Crashing Lamp Chimney in 1901 Took Away His Senses, and His First Question Upon Reviving Was, "How Many Were Killed?"

DID NOT KNOW HIS WIFE AND CHILDREN.

Skyscrapers and Trolleys New to Him and He Has Had to Learn Again His Old Trade and Begin Life All Over.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

ALLEGHENY, Pa., April 6.—In 1884 Francis Floyd Washburn, a painter, of No. 50 Charles street was knocked senseless in a train wreck out West.

In 1901 the crash of a lamp chimney sent a sharp pain through his head and left him senseless.

"Am I much hurt? Were there many killed?" were his first questions when he revived.

And therein lies a mystery of the mind, unparalleled in its many strange features.

Washburn with but one brain has had two minds, and led two lives, unconscious in each life of the existence of the other, but has really led two lives.

His first life dates from 1860, the year of his birth; stops short of 1884, jumps 17 years and now has been renewed again.

The second life is the life he led between 1884 and 1901.

He hasn't the slightest recollection of that now, though the wife he married in that period and the four children that were born to him then are indisputable evidence.

DOUBLE LAPSE OF MEMORY.

Washburn has what the doctors call amnesia—a double lapse of memory. He knows nothing now of what took place between '84 and 1901—yet he married, grew up prosperous and had four children.

All he can remember—thanks to the railway wreck in 1884—is what happened up to the time he was twenty-four and his amazing experiences of the last few days.

Automobiles, incandescent electric lights, trolley cars, express elevators, skyscrapers—all these are new to him. He remembers the world only as it was before 1884. He has had to learn anew the trade of which he was a master during those 17 years now apparently gone from him forever.

Yet he is perfectly sane. He is in full possession of all his faculties. He can hear, see, think, feel, read, write—but he cannot remember.

Washburn's native home is in Silver Lake, Susquehanna County, Pa. He led the life of an ordinary country boy till the death of his father. Then, as a young man of 24, he started West to claim some property there in his father's estate.

MIND LOST IN WRECK.

He reached Chicago safely and started for Denver by way of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific. Just out of Rock Island there was a wreck. Several were killed and injured. Washburn was thrown through the air and suffered injuries to his head.

When consciousness came again all memory of bygone days was gone. Recovery was slow. Papers in his pockets told his name and address. Washburn himself didn't know, the doctors say now. If they had told him he was John Smith he would have taken the name with equal facility. But furnished with a name and address he went home. By the time his wounds were healed his family had become familiar to him.

Neither he nor they realized that there was anything the matter with him. For five years he drifted about. Finally he settled in Allegheny, 12 years ago.

WASHBURN MARRIES.

His work—he had become a painter, grainer and paper hanger—led him to Avalon, a pretty suburb. There he met the winsome daughter of John Hastings, a well-to-do farmer. Washburn wooed and won her. They were married by the Rev. Mr. Risk, pastor of the Avalon M. E. Church, and made a home in Allegheny.

One by one the children came—Alcy, Ruth, Slaton and Margaret. Never was there a better husband and father. Hard working, temperate, kind-hearted, though stern with his children, his home life was happy. He kept steadily at his trade till one day his family physician, Dr. Stanley Small, advised him to quit it for a while.

Lead from paints had entered his system and poisoned him. He started a grocery store at 72 Charles street and put himself in Dr. Small's hands.

The doctor found that Washburn had absecesses of the liver. They came one after another, causing intense pain. They burst and passed away.

On the night of Feb. 23, last Washburn was sitting in the parlor with his 9-year-old daughter, Elsa. She was trying to fix the lamp to get a better light. She dropped the chimney. Her father tried to catch it as it fell, but missed his grasp.

SEVENTEEN YEARS GONE.

It fell to the floor with a crash. Knife-like pains cut through his head, his mind reeled and he tottered to the floor unconscious, crying out, "O, my head."

Next day he awoke. Dr. Small was bending over him and his wife was busily putting the sickroom to rights.

Washburn looked about him in a dazed way. Then he raised his head.

"Am I much hurt?" he asked. "Were there many killed or injured?"

Dr. Small and Mrs. Washburn thought that his mind was still wandering and tried to humor him. But he was insistent.

"What hospital am I in?" he demanded.

"You're in Washburn hospital and you're all right," said the doctor soothingly.

"Stop that foolery at once," ordered Washburn.

"What right has a doctor to make fun of a patient who has been hurt so badly in a railway accident? Is this woman the nurse?"

Bit by bit the truth dawned on the watchers at the bedside. Washburn believed that the wreck had just taken place and that he was one of the victims still in the hospital. He laughed outright when they told him he was a married man and the father of four children.

"You're taking altogether too many liberties with me," he cried.

"Nice thing for a young man of 24 to wake up after an injury and find himself the father of four children."

For an answer Mrs. Washburn handed him the mirror. For a full minute the man looked at his image in the glass too dumfounded to speak. He saw a man of middle life with a mustache and full beard.

THE TRUTH DAWNED SLOWLY.

"Can that be me?" he exclaimed, trembling. He spied on the wall a portrait of himself taken some time before his marriage, showing himself still young and without beard or mustache. "That's my picture," he said, pointing to it.

Gently as possible the wife told him that was a portrait taken years before. She brought the children and the wedding certificate. Slowly, very slowly, the truth dawned upon Washburn. It was not that he could remember anything. Reason told him what memory refused.

Everything that had happened from the moment of the wreck up to the moment that he had tried to reach for the falling lamp chimney had been blotted out of his brain.

A few days later they took the man out. The amazing change that had come over him was more apparent than ever.

"What are those wagons running without horses?" he demanded, his mind harking back to the horse cars of 1884.

"Trolley cars" meant nothing to him. His wife went into a patient explanation as to how they run.

They walked down to Dr. Small's, in Taggart street. An electric button was at the door. Washburn tried to pull it out to ring the bell. Electric lights he dimly remembered as having once seen in New York.

HAD FORGOTTEN HIS TRADE.

Physically, Washburn improved very fast. Finally Dr. Small said he might go back to work; he thought, perhaps, the suggestions about the trade and its tools might help bring back the consciousness of the lost 17 years.

"But I don't know anything about painting," protested Washburn. "I haven't had a brush in my hand since 1879, when I did some little job about the house."

Great was his surprise when they told him he had followed that occupation for ten years and was one of the best at it in the city. Pluckily he has taken it up again and is fast learning his old trade anew.

Suddenly, the other day, he asked the name of the town where they lived. They told him. He had not known that for twelve years he had lived here in Allegheny. He can't get used to the town hills; he used to live in a level country. He didn't even know the name of the street where his house was or the number of the grocery store which his wife runs while he is out painting.

Now that he has learned them all over again he has no trouble in remembering His recollection of what transpired since that eventful night is as good as anybody's.

Washburn is in better health physically than he has been for ten years. His senses are keen; his faculties alert. His mental poise is perfectly balanced. His brain works smoothly. It is only that he has lost track of 17 years of life.

HYPNOTISM AS TREATMENT.

Dr. Small and Dr. Mayer, who is Pittsburg's leading brain specialist, are working hard over his case. Many physicians are intensely interested and letters are received suggesting different forms of treatment. One from a Boston psychological society suggests hypnotism.

"I believe in hypnotism," said Dr. Small today. "We haven't tried that yet, though we may. Dr. Mayer is trying electricity and I am trying suggestion."

Washburn was convinced that he was the father of the children in a queer way. He would only admit it after he has seen in them the resemblance to his own mother and grandmother. His wife was so affected by all that happened after her husband's memory deserted him that she herself fell ill from nervous prostration and is only now able to be about.

"In all the years of our married life," she said today, "he never spoke of the railway accident and I had never heard of it. Then I made inquiries and learned when it was. Before this stroke he used to be very strict with the children. Now he plays with them all the time and won't let them be punished."

Washburn is a tall, spare man, with a thin face. His neighbors speak very highly of him. Everybody is glad to see him improving, and all hope to see the days when he recovers those seventeen years of memory that now seem gone from him forever.

BLOOD CLOT PRESSING ON THE BRAIN

BY STANLEY G. SMALL,

Washburn's Family Physician.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

ALLEGHENY, Pa., April 6.—This is the most remarkable case of amnesia that has ever come under my observation.

I have been treating Washburn for a year and a half for various ailments, chiefly of the lungs and the liver. For ten years past he has been in poor health. I think that this was due to lead poisoning. This finally affected his liver and I treated Washburn for hepatic abscesses. His side became so tender that it was impossible for it to be touched. The night that he changed his consciousness he was feeling particularly miserable. He started at the sound of the chimney's fall to the floor, complained of a knife-like pain in the back of his head, then became unconscious. When I arrived he was just recovering consciousness. His last impression was of the wreck. "Were there many killed?" he asked. Strangely enough, all pain had left his side. My opinion is that the abscesses had burst and that a clot of blood had passed through the circulation to the brain and is there now, pressing upon one of the centers of memory. This may cause the loss of 17 years out of his life.

He tells me that he never felt better in his life and that he feels like a young man of 24. The change in his physical condition is remarkable. He already weighs five pounds more than he did before the stroke. Washburn is a man of more than ordinary intelligence and his four children are particularly bright.

ONLY ONE CASE RECORDED LIKE WASHBURN'S

BY EDWARD E. MAYER, M. D.

Brain Specialist, Pittsburg, Pa.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

ALLEGHENY, Pa., April 6.—There is only one other case on record of sudden and complete loss of memory like this. That is the case of Pastor Hanna, reported by Dr. Boris Sidis of New York, and published in his book on Psychology of Suggestion.

While amnesia, which is the name of Washburn's ailment, is common enough, there are very few cases at all like this. Amnesia is often seen in insane cases which present alterations in the personality and even double personality—seemingly two minds in the same body. But Washburn is perfectly sane. He is a case of double consciousness in which the one is suddenly obliterated to reappear after a lapse of many years. This is very rare. Washburn's is not a case of total amnesia because he always remembered his name and his birthplace and his parents.

This may be accounted for by the fact that when he was injured in 1884 and taken to the hospital his name was found on papers in his pockets. So when he left the hospital he carried the name by which he had always been known. But he had forgotten everything else—his infancy and boyhood, his early training at a trade, and even the recollection of the railway wreck.

The case is one of great psychologic interest because it is one of the few that enable us to study the synthesis of consciousness and the cellular action and disaggregation of the brain.

Also interesting is the re-education of the man to the impressions made during 17 years and now lying dormant; the study of his dreams and the disassociation of the past from the present impressions and their eventual combination.

All of these furnish much material for study and observation.

My method in treating the case is purely one of suggestion. This consists of gradually separating him from any impressions left upon the brain by the loss of memory, working back to the time preceding it and then bringing his ideas slowly up to the present time. There is no hypnotic influence or anything of that sort used in his treatment. It is all done through simple suggestion. I believe it will eventually lead to bringing up all his ideas to date.

ACTS LIKE A YOUNG MAN, SAYS HIS WIFE

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

ALLEGHENY, Pa., April 6.—Mrs. Sarah Hastings Washburn, wife of Francis Washburn, made the following statement to the Post-Dispatch concerning her husband's strange case:

"A better man than my husband never lived. He has never spoken an unkind word to me. He has never smoked or drank and he has always been industrious and frugal.

"Yet he didn't know me or the children at all when he recovered after the stroke he got when the lamp chimney fell. I had to show him our wedding certificate signed by the Rev. Mr. Risk, and he did not know my brothers or sisters either, nor had he any recollection of the visit I made with him to the home of his mother in Susquehanna County. Yet during all the twelve years I knew him I never suspected that anything was wrong.

"The only thing at all out of the way was that he had a poor memory, but I didn't think this amounted to anything.

"He acts now like a young man of 24, but he is getting more used to his new life and to really being a man of 41. We all pray that he may recover his memory in time and be just like his old self once more."

WASHBURN'S OWN STORY OF THE LIFE HE FORGOT

Knows He Is Married Because of the Certificate and the Four Children, But Has to Get Acquainted With His Family All Over Again.

BY FRANCIS FLOYD WASHBURN.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

ALLEGHENY, Pa., April 6.—For the Post-Dispatch correspondent, Francis Floyd Washburn consented to make the following statment today:

If anybody wants a brand new sensation, let him go out of the world for 17 years and then come back as I've done. I've got to get acquainted with my wife all over again and I've got to learn to love my four little children, all born in that other life which I've entirely forgotten.

The last I remember is being thrown and of going through the air. We were just pulling out of Rock Island, Ill., for Denver, Colo., and suddenly I knew that the train was in a wreck. All I know of the present is what I've learned since that shock the other day.

What happened after that wreck is a blank to me. I know I am married because my wife has the marriage certificate and there are the four children. People tell me that I was like anybody else during all those 17 years; that I saw skyscrapers built and rode on trolly cars, and saw incandescent lights, telephones, electric bells and other modern things. But they are all new to me.

They tell me I was a painter. My name appears in the city directory as such, but the only work I remember doing of that kind was in 1879. I'm trying now to learn my trade all over again, but I have to begin as an apprentice. Yet my wife and friends say I was one of the best painters and grainers in town.

The first trolley car that I saw after I went out in the streets frightened me and the lights in the streets at night dazzle me completely. The first thing I remember after the shock the other day was a terrible confusion in my brain. It felt as if my head were all being torn to pieces. This got better and since then I have gradually improved.

When I awoke I thought I was in the Rock Island Hospital and the woman in the room was the nurse. When I spoke to her she kissed me, and growing highly indignant I ordered her from the room. She declared she was my wife. Then she brought me a marriage certificate and four children whom she said were mine. They all thought I was crazy.

I looked into the mirror. Instead of the smooth-faced young man I expected to see there I saw a middle-aged man with whiskers. I was completely dazed. I could not believe what I saw. But I am convinced now and I am trying to get back the 17 years that have gone completely out of my life.

When I go out people who have known me for years stop me in the street and talk to me.

I confess I don't know them. I cannot remember ever having seen them before. Yet they tell me they are old friends. I am afraid to look at people in the streets for fear of offending them.

I am just beginning to get acquainted with my wife and children. Imagine a father having to learn to love his children. It is surprising, but true.

FRANCIS FLOYD WASHBURN.

TAKE STRANGE JOURNEYS.

Long Distance Automobile Riding the Latest Fad.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.

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PARIS, April 6.—Long distance automobile riding is the latest fad among the ultra fashionable Europeans. Following the example of Grand Duke Vladimir, who, with two ladies, traveled from St. Petersburg to Nice in a week, parties are being constantly organized to beat the existing long-distance records. Last week nine autos crossed the English Channel with parties from London for diverse points in southern Europe. One was going to Constantinople and the other to Madrid.

Count and Countess Jean Cavellane went from Paris to San Remo in ten days. Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria traveled from the capital to Vienna and Mentone. An American painter took a joyous party from Paris to the Riviera in four days.

Great Britain's Loss by War.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.

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LONDON, April 6.—Great Britain's loss by the South African war in March was 5731 men, of whom 700 di[illegible] from wounds or sickness. The total war wastage to the army to date is 19,800 dead or permanently disabled. Gen. Kitchener demands another 20,000 mounted men to make good the expected waste of the winter [illegible] now beginning.

FIVE YOUNG MEN STOLE SCHOOLGIRLS

Now They Have Been Indicted by Kentucky Grandjury.

ALL PROMINENT IN SOCIETY

SEQUEL TO A MIDNIGHT PRANK AT POTTER COLLEGE.

Boys and Girls Are Now Penitent and the Escapade May Be Smoothed Over Without Further Exposure.

From a Post-Dispatch Staff Correspondent.

BOWLING GREEN, Ky., April 6.—Quick action on the part of both the college and the state authorities followed the escapade of Sunday morning when, between 12 and 1 o'clock, five young society men of this city endeavored to take five young women students at Potter college from the college building and escort them to a "duck" supper.

The young women were dismissed from college at a faculty meeting the next morning and returned at once to their homes.

Indictments were returned against the young men Thursday by the Warren County grandjury charging them with assault with intent to kill and with committing a riot.

The young men are Floyd Nahm, Harry Nahm, Willis Potter, Pleasant Potter and Roland Fitch. All five come of the most prominent families in Bowling Green and go in the most select society.

The young women mentioned in the indictment as the ones for whom the young men came are Misses Lena Hopkins, Bessie Simpson, Florence Cottrell, Bessie Boyer and Ruth Haynes. None of them live in Bowling Green.

The trial of the five indicted men will not take place until the Septemoer term of the Warren County Circuit Court. The charge of assault with intent to kill is a felony. The charge of committing a riot is a misdemeanor.

The affair of Sunday morning started in the attempt of the young men to take the young women from their rooms in Potter college, a fashionable boarding school for girls in this city, and escort them to a "duck" supper which they had had prepared at a local restaurant. Potter college is one of the strictest institutions of its kind in the country and the students are carefully watched night and day.

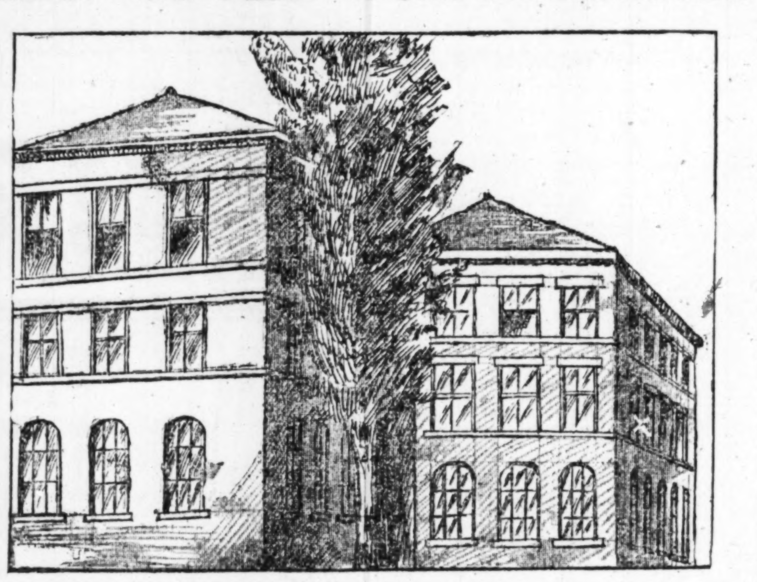
The young men knew that they would have to remove the young women by stealth and went prepared. They drove to the college, which is on a high hill south of the city, in a hack. With them they took a ladder to be used by the young women in leaving their rooms on the second floor and at the west end of the building.

Took a Ladder With Them.

They left the hack some distance from the college building and approached it on foot, carrying the ladder with them. They reached the building beneath the window from which they expected the young women to descend undetected. The ladder was placed against the wall and the young women at once began the descent. Three of them, Misses Hopkins, Simpson and Cottrell, had reached the ground before the noise aroused any members of the faculty.

Before the fourth had descended the length of the ladder, however, Dr. B. E. Cabell, the president of the college, appeared outside the building with a shotgun under his arm. He at once opened fire on the young men, intending, he says, only to frighten them away. Instead of running, however, the young men drew revolvers and returned the fire. A number of shots were exchanged without damage before the young men, accompanied by the three young women, who had succeeded in descending the ladder before the discovery, entered the carriage and drove away. The other two young women returned to their rooms.

As soon as Dr. Cabell discovered that three of his students were missing, he telephoned to the Mansard Hotel for a policeman.



Potter College at Bowling Green, Ky., Scene of Recent Escapade.

The White Cross Mark Shows the Window From Which the Girls Descended on a Ladder to Join the Waiting Boys

REV. B. T. CABELL,

President of Potter College Who Fired a Shotgun at the Young Men Who Stole the College Girls.

Asked Forgivenness by Telephone.

Before one responded, however, the college telehone rang. Dr. Cabell answered and was told that Roland Fitch, one of the five young men, was at the other end of the line. He stated that the three missing young women were with him and asked if he would be allowed to return them to the school. Dr. Cabell gave consent and in a little while a carriage came up the hill. In it were the young women, Mr. Fitch, Willis Potter and Harry Nahm. They asked for forgiveness, but Dr. Cabell informed them that he was in no mood for talking to them. The young men then departed and the young women, in tears, repaired to their rooms.

The occurrence was slow in becoming known because of the vigorous efforts of influential relatives of the principals to keep it quiet. Dr. Cabell opposed the desire of the grandjury to investigate, but was compelled to appear before it as a witness. Mrs. Alice F. Glasscock, the lady principal, was another witness.

It was at first reported that the authorities of the college had their suspicions aroused the afternoon before the escapade and were on the lookout for just what happened. It was claimed that a number of the students of the college, among them the young women who were parties to the occurrence, were downtown with a teacher and that they made the engagement for the affair at that time.

At the college this morning it was stated that only the ordinary vigilance was being kept and that none of the young women were under suspicion.

Statement Issued by the College.

At the college it was stated that Dr. Cabell had gone to Louisville and would not return until evening. Mrs. Glasscock, the principal, refused to make any statement regarding the affair, referring all inquiries to her superior. A statement has been issued, however, which is said to be approved by all parties concerned, admitting that the young women attempted to leave the college secretly to attend a supper prepared for them by the young men, that the young men were on hand with carriages, waiting for them, and that shots were exchanged after the attempted escape was discovered by Dr. Cabell.

It is claimed in the statement that the facts were presented to the grandjury in an exaggerated form and the indictment returned under these circumstances.

The young men, with the exception of Mr. Fitch are all in Bowling Green. Mr. Fitch went to Owensboro the day after the escapade to keep an engagement previously made, it is said.

All five of the men were friends of the five young women, and have frequently been permitted to call upon them at the college.

His Grandfather Named the College.

Pleasant Potter and Willis Potter are sons of Erasmus Potter, the banker. The former is 18 years old and the latter two years older. The grandfather, P. J. Potter, is the man for whom Potter College is named. He endowed it.

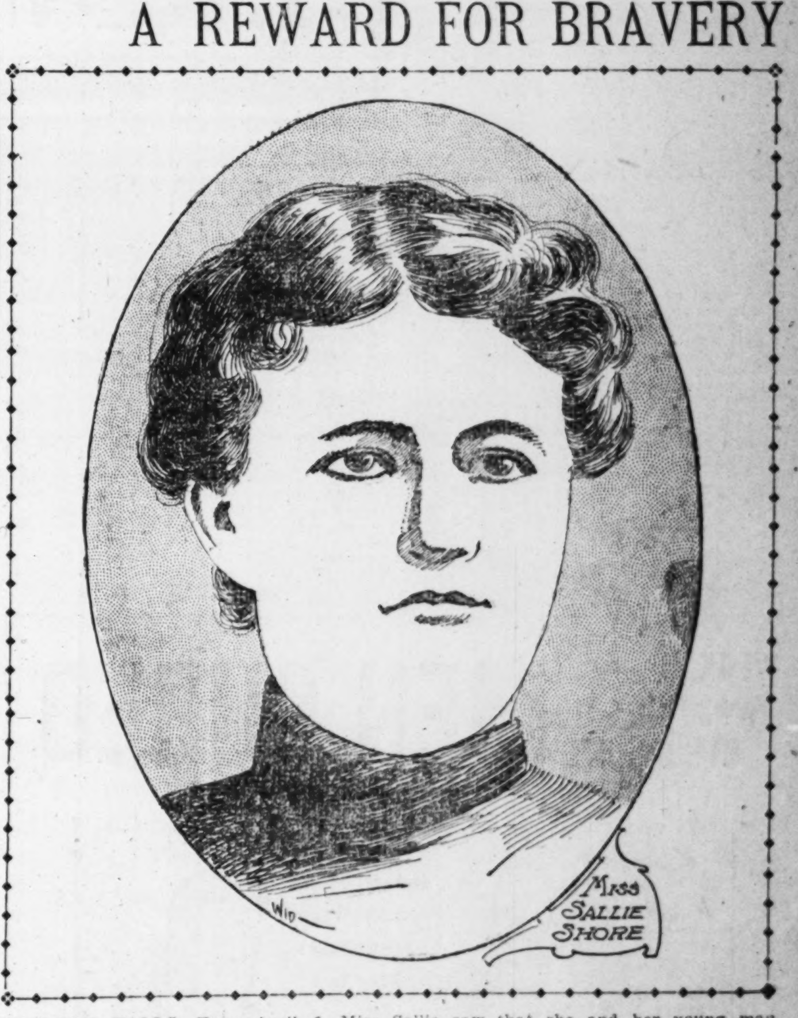
Harry and Floyd Nahm are sons of Moses Nahm, a wealthy dry goods merchant. The former is 22 years old and the latter 25.

Roland Fitch has lived in Bowling Green two years. His brother, Henry D. Fitch, is prominently connected with the Bowling Green Gas Co., the Bowling Green Street Car Co. and the Bowling Green Ice Co. T. Lindsey Fitch of Louisville is another brother.

Potter College, which is one of the best known institutions for young women in the South, was founded 12 years ago by Dr. Cabell, its president. It has an attendance of about two hundred a year, drawn mainly from the southern states, Indiana and Illinois. Sixteen states are represented among its students this year. There are 18 instructors.

THIS TEXAS BELLE GETS A REWARD FOR BRAVERY

FOR THROWING A HOBO DOWN STAIRS



MARBLE FALLS, Tex., April 6.—Miss Sallie Shore was visiting Mrs. Bridewell when a tramp repudiated food which Mrs. Bridewell handed out to him. The tramp said he wanted pie and cake. Thereupon Miss Sallie slapped his face and pushed him down a stairway. In his tumble he fell into a barrel of water.

In consideration of her prowess, the friends of Miss Sallie presented her with a gold watch.

This is not the first time Miss Sallie has distinguished herself. She was driving not long ago with a young man. They were looking for game, and the compact was that as the horses were spirited the young man was to take care of them and she would shoot any game that crossed the track.

No game showed, but the horses went down the road at their liveliest clip. Miss Sallie saw that she and her young man were in danger. The young man admitted between gasps that he couldn't "hold 'em."

Miss Sallie raised the rifle and shot one of the horses just as the team was heading for a precipice. Her act saved two human lives.

When she was 14 years old Miss Sallie rescued a man from drowning as he was floundering in the Colorado River. On another occasion she descended into a well 100 feet and rescued a child.

Her latest rescue was that of her father, who was being trampled by a mad bull. She did this by seizing the bull's nose. This surprised the animal, and he turned upon her. However, she succeeded in escaping.

Miss Sallie is in her 18th year, and she weighs 238 pounds, and, though she is certainly a giantess, she is blessed with a sweet and gentle disposition, and there are few young girls who are more popular and none who possess more sincere friends.

DROWNED WHILE FISHING.

Mackey Morris' Body Found in Sound Creek, Near Pana, Ill.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PANA, Ill., April 6.—Mackey Morris, aged 24, son of E. C. Morris, was drowned yesterday in Sound creek, northeast of this city, while fishing. A searching party found his remains at dusk last evening.

He has a brother serving Uncle Sam in the Philippines and another in the army in China.

MURDERER KILLED HIMSELF.

Body of Wm. Andrews, Who Shot Attorney Julian, Discovered.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MANSFIELD, Mo., April 6.—The body of William Andrews, who murdered Attorney Henry B. Julian on his farm near Ava, March 11, was found today in a hollow within 250 yards of where the tragedy took place. The discovery was made by a young man named Givens.

The body was decomposed and indicated that Andrews took his life immediately after the murder. Andrews wore the same clothing as when [illegible] seen by the only eyewitness [illegible] he used on Julian was lying only a few feet from the body of Andrews, but he had used a pistol in his own destruction.

B. T. Julian, father of the murdered man, passed through Mansfield this morning en route for Ava, where he was perfecting arrangements to offer a reward for Andrews.

The coroner's jury this afternoon rendered a verdict that Andrews' life was taken by his own hand.

NEGRO IS DENIED TRIAL.

Further Evidence of Slave-Working Leads to an Investigation.

COLUMBIA, S. C., April 6.—Gov. McSweeney was yesterday requested by John D. Sullivan, a large planter of Laurens County, to interfere in the case of James Gray, a negro who was a short time ago turned over on requisition to Georgia authorities. He was charged with stealing 18 pounds of cotton. Sullivan says Gray was arrested on his plantation. He wrote the sheriff of Elberton, Ga., to wire him the amount of Gray's fine if convicted and he would pay. Not hearing from him he investigated and found Gray had not been taken before a court or offered trial, but the "whipping boss" of a convict contractor had taken him from jail and he was being worked and [illegible] and locked [illegible]

GOV. ALLEN WILL NOT RESIGN

He Says a Great Future Is Before Porto Rico.

COUNTRY IS VERY FERTILE

POSSIBILITY OF TRANSPLANTING BERMUDAN AGRICULTURE.

Some Dissatisfaction Exists Regarding Methods of Taxation Which Will Soon Die Out.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—Charles H. Allen, governor of Porto Rico, who arrived in Washington this morning, had an hour's conference with President McKinley today. Great interested was manifested in Gov. Allen's visit on account of the rumors that have been rife ever since he sailed from San Juan that it was his intention to relinquish his post in the island.

After the conference, however, Gov. Allen announced that he would not resign and would return to his duties about the first week in May, after settling up some private affairs in Boston. It is pretty well understood that Gov. Allen came to Washington in the hope that the President would relieve him of his duties in Porto Rico and that he asked the President to do so, but the President prevailed upon him to continue at the head of the administration of the affairs of the island. Gov. Allen enjoys the confidence of the President to a very high degree and he felt that it was his duty to accede to the wishes of the chief executive.

Speaking about the affairs of the island, Gov. Allen said that the situation had improved very materially in every way since he became governor over a year ago.

"The civil government established in Porto Rico," Gov. Allen said, "is working smoothly. The various departments have been organized and our administration is seemingly giving general satisfaction. In a material way there has been wonderful progress. Much of the island which was not under cultivation under the old regime is being taken up and made profitable. There is a great field in the island for products that can be shipped to the United States and especially oranges and other fruits. The advantages possessed by the Porto Rican fruit growers on account of the discrimination in their favor as far as tariff duties are concerned, which will be increased when all duties are removed July 1, cannot but result in making it a great fruit-growing country.

"Recently persons who are interested in the growing of lilies and other flowers, as well as onions and potatoes, in Bermuda have been looking over the island with a view to transferring to Porto Rico the agricultural industries that have made Bermuda famous. A faint idea of what this would mean to the islands can be gathered from the fact that last year this country imported from Bermuda 400,000 bushels of onions alone.

"In the old established industries in Porto Rico, there has been great improvement in all except coffee growing and production. Unfortunately, this is languishing at the present time. The production of sugar has been increased from 40,000 tons last year to probably 100,000 tons estimated for this year. The sugar industry is bound to flourish, owing to the tariff discrimination in its favor. Upon the crop estimated for this year, the Porto Ricans will save $3,500,000 in tariff duties. The orange industry is being increased by the investments of Americans. The fruit is delicious, and there is plenty of land to be had for the cultivation of oranges.

"I believe Senator Foraker builded more wisely than he knew in the organic law governing the island, and I feel, after a somewhat intimate acquaintance with the situation, that that law itself, interpreted in the spirit of which it was made, will be found to work quite satisfactorily in Porto Rico for some time to come."

When asked about the alleged unpopularity of the Hollander tax law, Gov. Allen explained that there was naturally much misunderstanding about the inauguration of the purely American system of taxation, based upon property valuations, to take the place of the old Spanish system that had been in vogue for over three hundred years. He said that the total valuation of the property in Porto Rico would be close to $100,000,000, and under the law but one-half of 1 per cent could be levied for municipal purposes and the same for insular purposes. This would raise about $1,000,000. The other million necessary to make up the total budget would be raised by excise taxes on rum, cigars, cigarettes, etc. Gov. Allen explained that the complaint made against the feature of the Hollander law which only allows six months for the redemption of property sold for taxes, was one that could be remedied by the next legislature, which meets in December, if the time was found to be too short. Gov. Allen said that the taxation under the Hollander law was lower than in any of the states in this country.

Yvette Guilbert's Personal Gargoyle.

From the London Chronicle.

Humorous architects sometimes caricature their friends and enemies in grotesque gargoyles, but the decoration is seldom employed for serious portraiture. Mme. Yvette Guilbert has, however, in her new home in the Boulevard Berthier, introduced her own head on a stone relief over her front door. The stony face wears a smile, and thus is an unfamiliar likeness, for the sadeyed lady awed much of her success to her preternatural solemnness. After a long retirement through illness she has now recaptured fickle Paris—this time with serious work. She no longer handles impropriety with gloves—long black gloves—but gives instead musical renderings of Baudelaire.

$1,076,078,830 GAIN IN STOCKS

Amount Picked Up Since November Elections.

THE BOOM GOES RIGHT ON

MONEY IS PLENTIFUL AND SEEKING INVESTMENT.

Large Fortunes Have Been Made by Men of Moderate Wealth and Very Rich Men Have Added Enormously to Their Possessions.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, April 6.—Wall street is in the midst of the greatest bull movement in its history. Stocks have increased in value $1,076,078,830 since election day. Prices have advanced in defiance of the bears and to the amazement of the bulls. This week the trading was more excited than any old brokers ever recalled. When the movement is going to end no one is so bold as to predict.

The opinion in Wall street is that when the public cease to buy there may be some gradual recessions from the present high prices, but nobody expects that the so-called "bubble" will burst.

Good judges of stock values declare that few of the railroad stocks are any higher than is warranted. The people have more money than they ever had before, brokers say, and they are seeking investments which pay liberal returns. Some large fortunes have been made in Wall street since election day. There are half a dozen new millionaires, while all the rich men have largely increased their fortunes. James R. Keene is said to have made ten millions since election day. Jacob Fields and John W. Gates, formerly of St. Louis, are both said to have made several million dollars. Thomas F. Ryan, Wm. C. Whitney, P. A. B. Widener and W. L. Elkins are credited with gaining enormously. J. P. Morgan, of course, has greatly added to his fortune, while Hy. S. Rogers, John D. Rockefeller, William Rockefeller, James Stillman, and the group of millionaires associated with the Standard Oil Co. have probably made fabulous profits. Among the new millionaires are Arthur A. Housman, William L. Stow and Jefferson M. Levy, who is said to have made $2,000,000 in Northern Pacific, Consolidated Gas and Seaboard Air Line. Mr. Levy is said now to be worth at least $5,000,000. James B. Dill is also one of the new millionaires in Wall street. He was one of the directors of the Carnegie Steel Co., but is said to have sold his stock at a handsome profit to Mr. Morgan.

Cultivating Pearl Oysters.

From the Scotsman.

The ship Narwana has sailed from Massowah in order to advance the cultivation of the Ostrica perlifera (the pearl bearing oyster). It is being sent out by the Societa Perlifera Italiana, which has offices in Milan, Bombay and Massowah. The Italian government has granted to this company a vast stretch of sea and shore along the coast of Erythrea. Prof. Decia Vinciguerra, director of the Stazione di Agricultura in Rome, has gone to Massowah, and he intends to establish two things, the cultivation of the pearl oyster and the artificial production of the pearl in the common oyster.

FIXING NEW LINES

THE NEW SENATORIAL DISTRICTS OF MISSOURI.

DEMOCRATS DO NOT SUFFER

Cnly Three Republicans Outside of St. Louis and Jackson. County.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., April 6.—Gov. Dockery, Attorney-General Crow and Secretary of State Cook today completed the senatorial apportionment for the state of Missouri, the Legislature having failed to make the apportionment, and, therefore, under the constitution, it devolved upon these state officials to do so, within thirty days from the adjournment of the Legislature. This is the third decade in succession that the Legislature failed to make the apportionment and the state officials made it, the other two times being in 1881 and 1891. The new apportionment is now on file with the secretary of state.

The changes made this time are as follows: Holt County was taken from the First district and placed in the Third.

Putnam County was taken from the Twelfth district and placed in the Fourth.

Vernon and Barton counties were taken from the Twenty-eighth district and placed in the Twentieth, composing a new Twentieth district of Barton, Dade, Green and Vernon.

Jasper County alone, under the new apportionment, forms the Twenty-eighth district.

Polk County was taken from the Twentieth district and placed in the Nineteenth.

Wright County was taken from the Twentieth district and placed in the Twenty-second.

Dunklin County was taken from the Twenty-third district and placed in the Twenty-first.

Phelps was taken from the Twenty-seventh and placed in the Twenty-fourth.

Madison was taken from the Twenty-fourth and placed in the Twenty-sixth.

Laclede was taken from the Twenty-second and placed in the Twenty-seventh.

Boone was taken from the Ninth and added to the Tenth.

Adair was taken from the Sixth and added to the Ninth.

Dallas was taken from the Twentieth and placed in the Nineteenth.

The fight in the Legislature was over Vernon County. The House bill took that county, being a big Democratic county, from the Sixteenth district, which was Senator Whaley's district, and the Senate placed it back. This caused the disagreement. It seemed the House did not want Whaley returned, and, therefore, made an effort to take his big Democratic county away, but the Senate would not allow it, and the bill failed of passage. The present apportionments stands by the Senate bill, leaving Whaley's district unchanged.

This apportionment leaves only three Republican districts outside of St. Louis City and Jackson County, making in all 27 Democratic dictricts out of the 34 in the state.

No changes were made in Jackson County and St. Louis because the circuit judges fix these.

ARKANSAS SUPREME COURT.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., April 6.—Following were the proceedings in the Supreme Court today:

Fred Hanger vs. Charles Ives; appeal from Pulaski Circuit Court; motion for rehearing denied.

St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad Co. vs. Solomon Crabtree, appeal from Crawford County Circuit Court; motion for rehearing denied.

E. A. Hardin vs. Edward McGreevy, appeal from Sebastian County Circuit Court; affirmed.

J. D. Conant vs. Levi Storthz, appeal from Pulaski County Circuit Court; affirmed.

Robert Underwood, administrator, vs. J. M. Cooper et al., appeal from White County Circuit Court; affirmed.

Central Coal and Coke Co. vs. F. W. Williams et al., appeal from Little River County Circuit Court; affirmed if appellee will enter remittur.

State Fair Association of Arkansas vs. Joe Townsend et al., appeal from Pulaski County Chancery Court; motion to dismiss appeal granted.

Isabella Goodman et al. vs. Isaac Pareira, trustee et al., appeal from Pulaski County Chancery Court; time given until May 25 to file brief.

W. S. Wadsworth et al. vs. G. B. Bugg, appeal from Pulaski County Chancery Court, stipulation of counsel filed and set for first Monday in June.

John E. Black et al. vs. F. J. Robertson, administrator, appeal from Monroe County Circuit Court, appellee given three weeks to file brief.

May Herne vs. C. Lightale, appeal from Mississippi County Circuit Court, motion to dismiss appeal granted.

Planters' Mutual Insurance Co. vs. Choctaw, Oklahoma & Gulf Co., appeal from Perry County Circuit Court, motion to advance and affirm filed.

Love Reyburn vs. the State of Arkansas, appeal from Crawford County Circuit Court, motion for rehearing filed.

W. M. Watkins vs. Francis C. Martin, appeal from Pulaski County Circuit Court, supplemental abstract filed and submitted.

S. B. Gilliland, administrator, vs. S. J. Churchwell, appeal from Madison County Circuit Court, compromised and dismissed.

According to the Proverb.

From the Philadelphia Press.

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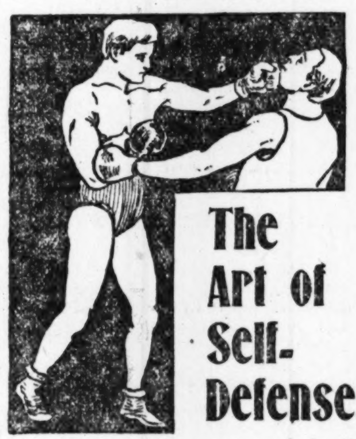

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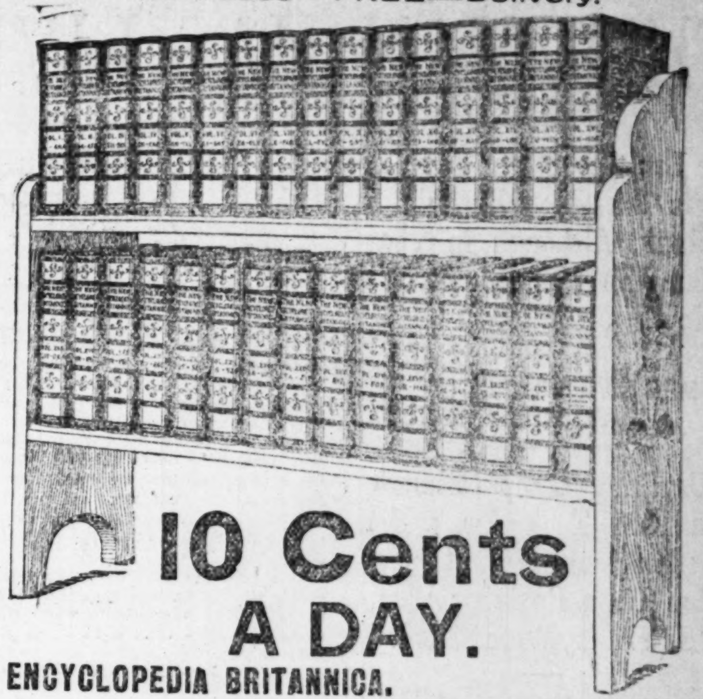

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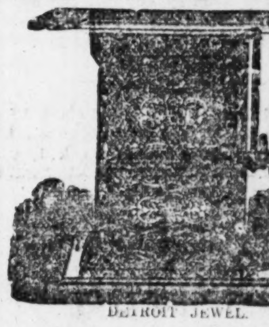

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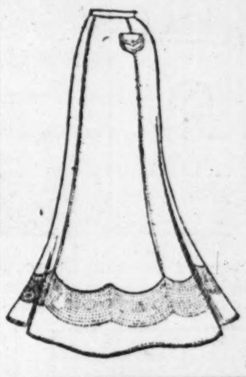

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HELENA, Mont., April 6.—Theoretically and practically a 16-bore shotgun has a greater penetration at an equal distance than a 10-bore, but at this season of the year in Montana the latter has the "call," and every sportsman is at present engaged in cleaning and polishing barrels of his largest fowling piece, in anticipation of what is regarded by long odds as the most exhilirating and exciting sport to be had in the Rocky mountain country—wild goose shooting.

At this time of the year there are two classes who scan the daily press in eager anticipation—one the cattle and sheep men that they may warn their herders and thus protect their stock from the March blizzards that originate in Canada, just across the northern state line; and the other that they may take the train for Manhattan, in the center of the great barley fields, for a goose shoot, which they know to be in store for them the day after the first "norther" is reported from the Canadian storm center, which forces the southern flight of the brant.

Where the Geese Feed.

Manhattan is located about 50 miles east of Helena, in the Gallatin valley, which is from two to five miles wide and 15 miles long and planted exclusively in barley each year. The harvest has been completed and the fields are clear, but more or less of the grain has fallen to the ground, which furnishes excellent food for the birds and is invariably availed of by them, it being their first feeding since leaving the breeding grounds.

Leaving Helena or Butte at 11 a. m., one will arrive at Manhattan early in the afternoon with ample time to prepare the "grave," which has been found to be the only trustworthy plan for deceiving these wonderful birds. It depends, of course, upon the number in the party as to the size of the hole to be dug, generally speaking, a trench six feet long, three feet wide and five feet dep will suffice. Great care must be taken that the earth so removed be scattered well, making the surroundings appear natural. Then a dozen sticks are laid crosswise over the excavation and straw scattered over them. Then the decoys, either tin or canvas are staked out on one side only of the blind, so that one man can shoot from each end without mixing the results and avoiding any dispute as to who killed the "big one."

The Game Is Very Wary.

The geese feed in the fields twice a day, morning and evening, spending the night on the Missouri river, about five miles away, and the days in traveling about, apparently seeking new feeding fields, but always returning to the big barley plot. These birds are endowed with what seems an unnatural tuition and vision. It is said that a glove left lying on the ground has prevented them from alighting. An uncovered spade that was used in digging the excavation has kept them off, and it is absolutely unsafe to keep the head of the watcher and the "caller" out after the flock can be seen by him. They will not decoy near a grain stack, and it is impossible to approach a flock walking by the side of a horse or a cow and get within shooting range, nor has the experiment of laying on the ground covered with straw proved successful.

The only neglect in their education seems to be that they will come down to a flock of tin decoys and never entertain a suspicion of anything wrong, and it is this lack of learning upon their part solely that enables the sportsmen to bag them. Entering the pit with guns loaded, the right barrel with No. 4, the left with BB's, and two shells of buckshot handy, the frail covering arranged so that they cannot pierce through with their eagle eyes, all is in readiness. One of the party is designated to watch for their coming and blow the goose call a few times to attract attention to the decoys. Then he, too, must attend to his end of the pit, and see that the straw covering is properly arranged. Then he blows the call a few more times for fear that all the geese did not hear the first attempt.

All becomes silent: not a word must be spoken nor a move of any kind made. Suddenly the "honk" of the leader is heard. The "honk" comes nearer and nearer, and the flapping of the wings is soon noted by the anxious hunters. The geese circle around and around, and in each revolution flying right over the cache.

Finally they cease their flight and may be heard on the ground close by, when at a slight pinch from the leader as a signal the covering is thrown back, the hunters arise to their feet with shoulders above the ground and the sport begins. They have been warned by old-timers while the game is large to aim carefully at one bird and pull the trigger. But this is likely to be forgotten on the spur of the moment, and the first shot counts for naught. Then the hunter remembers and is more careful, with the result that the second shot brings him a prize. The experienced hunter always gets four shots and four geese.

Going to the hotel, a mile or so away, a hearty dinner is had. The hunters are up at 4 o'clock the next morning to repeat the operation, using the second pit for fear the flock may have remembered the location of the one used the evening before, and, remembering the mistakes of the previous day, they are more likely to meet with better success. Returning to the hotel for breakfast, the train is boarded for home.

MR. SPRAGUE SAYS

Strawberries at 10c, on sale Monday, April 8, at the Delicatessen Lunch Room counters.

Fixed a Chair for Bores.

Mr. Beavers, the general superintendent of salaries and allowances in the postoffice department, used to be greatly annoyed by the confidential manner of some of his visitors who persisted in drawing close to him and "buzzing" their requests into his ear, as the saying is. He has no longer cause to complain of this. Not long ago a congressman called at his office and was motioned into a comfortable looking chair next Mr. Beavers' desk, relates the Chicago Chronicle.

He dropped into it and fell into an earnest conversation. Pretty soon he wanted to become confidential and he gave the chair a hitch for the purpose of drawing it closer to Mr. Beavers' chair. But it did not budge. In his interest in his own remarks he failed to notice this, but soon he made another attempt to pull his chair forward. Again he failed.

This time his attention was attracted to the fact that his chair seemed to have caught in the carpet or was in some way entangled, and he gave it a frantic tug. But it was no use. The chair held fast, as though built into the floor. The member took a look under the chair and found it fastened down with wires. He took the hint and left soon afterward.

Masonry a Strong Bond.

The strong bond that unites members of the Masonic fraternity showed itself in several places in South Africa, where the Boers ransacked and destroyed property belonging to the hated Britisher. Invariably Masonic lodges were left undisturbed. Indeed, the marauding visitors generaly signed their names in the visitors' books.

Queer Source of Name.

The name of the postoffice at Half Rock, in Missouri, is not to be acounted for by any peculiarity of the physical features of the place, as might be supposed. It seems that one of the first buildings erected there was a general store, the proprietor of which sold such bad sugar that his customers declared it to be "half rock."

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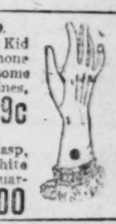

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8 to 10 A. M.

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75c Black All-Wool Storm Serge, 38 inches wide	39c
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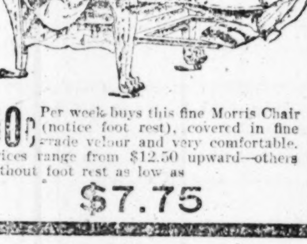

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PUBLIC LIBRARY AND EXPOSITION.

The directors and stockholders of the Exposition ought seriously to consider if the use of Missouri Park as a public library site is not the best possible arrangement that could be made at this time.

The Exposition is laboring under obligations which it is difficult to take care of. The Exposition as such has been dwindling and its usefulness will be practically nil during the World's Fair period. It must depend largely on enterprises not strictly in line with its original purpose. It will be necessary to increase these illegitimate uses in order to justify a continuance of the venture in its present form and the holding of the building. The defeat of the ordinance asked for by the Exposition directors indicates the difficulty of placing the Exposition on a sound business basis as a business enterprise.

Does not the plan to let the library occupy the site and return the property to the city as a park offer an opportunity to make an advantageous settlement of the Exposition difficulty? Both the public and the private interests involved seem to point in this direction. It is worth the serious consideration of directors and stockholders.

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No doubt Senator Hoar would give ex-President Aguinaldo a hearty handshake.

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MUSTN'T GOSSIP.

The newly elected Mayor, or Burgess, of Homestead, Pa., although a very young man, has views and other interesting peculiarities.

He stopped the posting of advertisements on telegraph and telephone poles, ordered the arrest of all tramps, made loafers move on, and looked after stray dogs.

All this is good and wholesome. But suddenly he issues this remarkable order:

"Women out shopping on Saturday night will not be allowed to stop and gossip in business section of the town."

Plainly the young man is well mothered. He has old-fashioned ideas on government and society and doesn't seem to know that the world has moved since the Connecticut Blue Laws forbade a man to kiss his wife on Sunday.

Maternal government threatens the country. It promises to regulate the goings and comings of every citizen, old and young man. It is not easy to make one's neighbor as good as oneself, but when a man like the Burgess of Homestead gets into office he is pretty sure to try. And if other men weren't such miserable sinners he would succeed.

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The ablest party organs all fail to convince the people that one party is always a saint and the other always a sinner.

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EVEN ST. LOUIS.

Mr. John W. Alexander, a well-known artist, in a lecture before the New York Art Students' League Wednesday evening, scored that city for its indifference and ignorance in art matters.

"There is a school of young artists rapidly coming to the front in France," said Mr. Alexander, "whose work is unknown to New York. Philadelphia, Pittsburg, even St. Louis knows them."

How gratifying—even St. Louis. Chicago wasn't in it—wasn't "even"-mentioned by the lecturer.

Mr. Alexander went on: "These towns (Pittsburg and even St. Louis) see work that never comes to New York. * * * Such works of art pass through New York under bond on their way to other cities, but the metropolis never sees them."

Dear, dear. New York will never see Mr. Dodge's pictures, which were left in St. Louis. There was such a demand for them here, even in St. Louis!—sold like the proverbial hot cakes. And if Mr. Alexander will come out with a search warrant he will find a large number of masterpieces in St. Louis homes, brought here in similar exhibitions.

In art St. Louis is insatiable.

Even St. Louis.

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Having helped to construct the largest trust in the world, Attorney-General Knox will now, in pursuance of his public duty, proceed to smash his own handiwork.

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PREACHERS MUST BE HEALTHY.

The Central Pennsylvania conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church has decided to require a certificate of freedom from constitutional disease before a minister shall be admitted to a pastorate.

This seems an extraordinary requirement, not free from the taint of folly.

Good health is always good. Unquestionably a healthy man can make himself more useful as a pastor than one stricken with disease. But if a preacher must get a certificate of physical perfection from a doctor before he can administer spiritual consolation to a congregation, it is much to be feared that many churches which now enjoy the best pastoral service will be left without any.

Of all fads, the health fad is the silliest. Common sense ought to be some restraint.

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Bradstreet says facts are being disregarded in Wall street. They are none the less stubborn things, as some investors are likely to learn.

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EASTER DAY.

The term Easter is derived from the German Ostera, the Goddess of Spring. The Christian thought of the resurrection coincides with the pagan notion of the new life, which rises with the return of spring.

The festival appears to be a recognition of the meaning of the vital processes of nature. It is a festival which announces the end of the reign of death and the return of life which had withdrawn for a season out of sight.

Every bud and blossom is a glad proclamation of this fact. They come, out of the desolation and cold and muck of winter, the most confident witnesses of life. In the spring there is literally a resurrection from the grave. Among the dead leaves of winter there is no visible promise of life. But the vital processes go on, even under the appearance of death, and we see that after all death was only a pretense which could not be made good.

Nature is thus a symbol which faith lays hold upon and interprets according to its need. The doctrine of the resurrection is a proclamation, in terms of faith, of a truth apparent in nature, foreshadowed in the myths of all lands, and realized by every soul which feels the thrill of contact with reality.

Easter is rightly the queen of festivals, for on that day we hail the revival of life, which is truth and comprehends all things.

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Mayor Tom Johnson's first notable official act has prevented the sale of a valuable part of the Cleveland lake front to a railway corporation for a small consideration. A Mayor can be very useful when he chooses to be so.

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THE WORLD'S FAIR AND THE PARKS.

The ordinance offering a choice of certain parks as a World's Fair site, which has been vetoed by Mayor Ziegenhein, was favored by the Post-Dispatch for strong reasons.

The World's Fair is not the undertaking of some St. Louis men, but of the entire city of St. Louis. The obligation to make a successful fair rests with the whole city. The success or failure of it will reflect credit or discredit upon St. Louis. The city has invested $5,000,000 worth of bonds in addition to $5,000,000 invested by citizens. The city as a city must take care of the World's Fair and promote it in every possible way.

The choice of a park site may be extremely desirable, because a park or a part of a park may be the best possible site, and the best possible site is the site the World's Fair ought to have.

The privilege of using a park or part of a park as a World's Fair site may be desirable to avoid a hold-up by land speculators. The moment the site is located, prices of land available will undoubtedly soar. Speculators will probably buy up available sites within the city limits for the purpose of holding up the World's Fair company. The purchase of an available site of 500 or 600 acres may cost the World's Fair company an enormous sum—perhaps a fifth of the total capital, thus diminishing to that extent the money available for buildings and improvements.

There is no reason to think that the uses of a park for the World's Fair will injure the park for park purposes. On the contrary, it will probably improve the park. It would certainly improve any of the north or south park locations. In Chicago, Jackson Park was changed from a marsh to a beautiful park. In Philadelphia, Fairmount Park was improved by the Centennial Exposition. The Paris Expositions have added beautiful improvements to the places given up to World's Fair purposes.

The chief fear of damage so far expressed is that Forest Park may be taken and trees sacrificed to the World's Fair. It should be borne in mind that but a third part of this park would be needed, and that landscape gardening for the fair will be done by the best experts in that line of work and not by the kind of men, inspectors and street engineers, who have been cutting down trees in St. Louis. Trees will be a very attractive addition to the World's Fair Grounds, especially in St. Louis, where shade is desirable in summer time. It is probable that very few trees will be sacrificed for the World's Fair building purposes. On the other hand, many improvements will probably be made by World's Fair money, the amount saved in the buying of the site leaving a large margin for park improvement. In Forest Park, for instance, the Post-Dispatch Lake can be greatly extended, at a small expense, and with bridges a beautiful feature can be added to the park. No objection has been urged to either O'Fallon or Carondelet Parks should either of them be chosen.

The Post-Dispatch is unalterably opposed to the diminution of park space or the destruction of the attractions of the parks. Under proper safeguards the use of a park by the World's Fair will not diminish park space and there is no reason that it should destroy, but on the contrary it ought to improve a park. The Post-Dispatch urges that the city's interests should be carefully guarded and if possible an arrangement made by which, if additional land is used by the World's Fair, that land shall be added to the park.

All of these safeguards should be carefully attended to. The arrangement should be business-like, with provision for the protection of the city in future. But the city should do everything reasonable to aid the Fair and, all things considered, the argument in favor of offering the use of a park as a site greatly overbalances the argument to the contrary.

As the site must be determined within a month, if the World's Fair is to have the benefit of a park site, the new mayor and Municipal Assembly must act promptly.

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If the teachers' annuity bill, now before the Governor, were merely intended to give legal standing to the teachers' annuity organization, as the Post-Dispatch was mistakenly informed, there could be no question of the desirability of signing the bill. It appears, however, that the bill provides for an appropriation out of the school fund of an amount, up to $100,000, equal to the amount of the fund raised by the teachers. This makes the signature of the bill a matter of doubtful policy. The question really is, Shall we use the school fund for annuity purposes? It is not simply a question of enabling the teachers to raise a pension fund among themselves.

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The will of a recently deceased St. Louisan provides for his burial a coffin of plain wood and forbids all needless expenses. Economy in funerals can only be brought about in this way. The man or woman to be buried must leave positive orders against whatever is not necessary. Even then there may be some trouble in bringing about reform.

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A good many people will be surprised to learn that more than two-thirds of the world's sugar supply is made from beets. The production of sugar from cane has been so long familiar that the progress of the sugar beets has not been realized. Germany, France and Austria each make more than 1,000,000 tons of beet sugar annually.

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The arrival by the Rhein of a larger number of steerage passengers than ever before came to this country on one ship—2449—indicates a very heavy immigration for 1901. The steamship agents have evidently been busy with stories of American prosperity.

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Representative Dalzell of Pennsylvania went to Cuba to be impressed with the wisdom of the administration in Cuban affairs and he has come back impressed.

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Pittsburg has done well in awarding the contract for her new permanent exposition building to a St. Louis firm.

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Gen. MacArthur has 3741 sick soldiers. All the sick men did not return in the transports.

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With the Steel Trust's lawyer in the Cabinet we may look for continuous prosperity.

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POST-DISPATCH SNAP SHOTS.

Several spring poets may have perished in the April western snow drifts.

The Kansas spring produces blizzards no less renowned than those of winter.

The Philadelphia Republicans smile at the reports of election frauds in St. Louis.

He has so often put his foot in it of late, the Kaiser's mouth must be considerably out of shape.

It will take a great deal of self-sacrifice to boycott the peanut corner. Probably the increased prices will be paid.

Now that Rockefeller has bought a harbor up in Wisconsin the river and harbor bills of Congress will all be promptly passed.

If there is a Johnson boom for President we may get some such a ticket as this: For President, Tom Johnson; for Vice-President, John Thompson.

There were no Cubans or Filipinos watching the election in St. Louis on Tuesday. They have yet to take their first American lessons in self-government.

The Emperor of Austria has just washed the feet of 12 mendicants. This is a bit of imperialism that will not be imitated by our imperial President, though there are many hoboes in the United States who might be refreshed by it.

The new Attorney-General in the Cabinet, having been a trust lawyer, doubtless looks upon trusts much as does Orato Rastus Johnsing. Says Mr. Johnsing: "S'pose ye does pay 15 cents for a po'k chop wuth only 10 cents—don't ye git yer po'k chop?"

JUST A MINUTE
WITH
POST-DISPATCH POETS,
HUMORISTS AND PHILOSOPHERS

AS TO MR. MARKHAM.

If I were Edward Markham and had a reputation
Extending from the ocean to the plains,
I wouldn't give the muses a daily castigation,
Nor wring the tender juices from my brains.
I wouldn't write a poem for love of filthy lucre,
Not even though I had to pawn my watch,
I wouldn't flirt with fortune, nor yet with fame play euchre,
Nor try to boost my name another notch.

If I were Edward Markham and had a certain station
Which I had won by agricultural verse,
I'd rest contented, giving my pen a long vacation,
Lest overdoing things should prove a curse.
I wouldn't strain at phrases nor blazon on my banner
The message of The Person With the Hoe,
For custom stales and withers in most surprising manner,
And Fame, at times, receives a body blow.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

(This column is open to everybody who has a complaint to make, a grievance to ventilate, information to give or a subject of general interest to discuss, or a public service to acknowledge, and who can put the idea into the fewest words possible. Letters from persons seeking employment cannot be given place in this column. All letters must be accompanied by address and signature.)

School Teachers' Pension Bill.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

In your comments yesterday on the teachers' pension bill, now in the hands of the governor, you state that its purpose is "merely to give a legal standing to the teachers' pension organizations." If this were the only purpose of the bill there would be no question as to the governor signing it, but the meat of the bill is that it authorizes the school board to appropriate a total of $100,000 out of the school funds to aid the pension association. Such a use of school funds is clearly unconstitutional, and the wonder is, not that the governor delays signing it, but that such a bill should ever have been allowed to pass. A voluntary pension fund is desirable and should receive the aid of every one, but hands off the public school funds.

P. H. FELKER,
President St. Louis Public School Patrons' Alliance.

A Woman's Advice.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Some of the very young bachelors who are getting more experience than salary are heard occasionally complaining that women are taking men's places. One of these youths asked for advice a few days ago in the Letters From the People column of the Post-Dispatch. "A Grass Widow" replies, and while bitter, her letter contains some advice that is to the point.

She speaks of young men who acquire extravagant habits without the cash to support them. Her advice to the girls in regard to such a man is: "Take his job at $5 a week before you take him at $12." It is "the small, cheap, nervous fellows who clerk and run typewriters and sewing machines" who, according to "Grass Widow," "lead any self-respecting woman a terrible life."

How about the big, hulking fellow who peddles toilet soap and perfumes, and who holds the door open with his foot while terrorizing the "lady of the house" into buying something she does not want? The girls must not be misled by the size of a man. If a young woman has the choice between taking a man's job at $5 a week and taking him at $12, his height or the size of his collar should not be deciding factors. Many of the best men have been of small statue.

Grass Widow's advice must be taken with that allowance due to one who confesses herself disappointed in love.

A WOMAN.

How It Strikes a Woman.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I don't understand why we women must endure the filthy habit of men that spit on the floors of street cars? In the first place it is a violation of the rules on their part and also of the conductor's duty to observe the same. He ought to tell them if spit they must and will, to raise the window or use a handkerchief and not let our skirts be brought into contact with the same. Short or long would make no difference. If you have any respect for your mothers, wives and sisters, please consider and quit it. A READER.

St. Louis.

A THOUGHT FOR THE DAY.

Childhood often holds a truth in its feeble fingers, which the grasp of manhood cannot retain, and which it is the pride of utmost age to recover. RUSKIN.

BETTER IF HE HAD.

Coming home rather late one night, old Jones discovered a country yokel with a lantern standing by the kitchen door, says the London King.

"Young man," said he, "what are you doing here?"

"I've come a-courting, sur."

"A-courting? What do you mean?"

"Well, I'm a follower of Mary, the kitchen maid, sur."

"Do you usually carry a lantern when you are on such errands?" asked the old man, sarcastically.

"Yes, sur, al'ays."

"Don't tell me such nonsense. You had better be off quickly—courting with a lantern, indeed. In my young days I never used such a thing."

"No, sur," replied the yokel, sidling off, "judging by yer missus, I shouldn't think yer did."

OUR LAND.

(Finland's National Hymn.)
BY JOHN RUNEBERG.

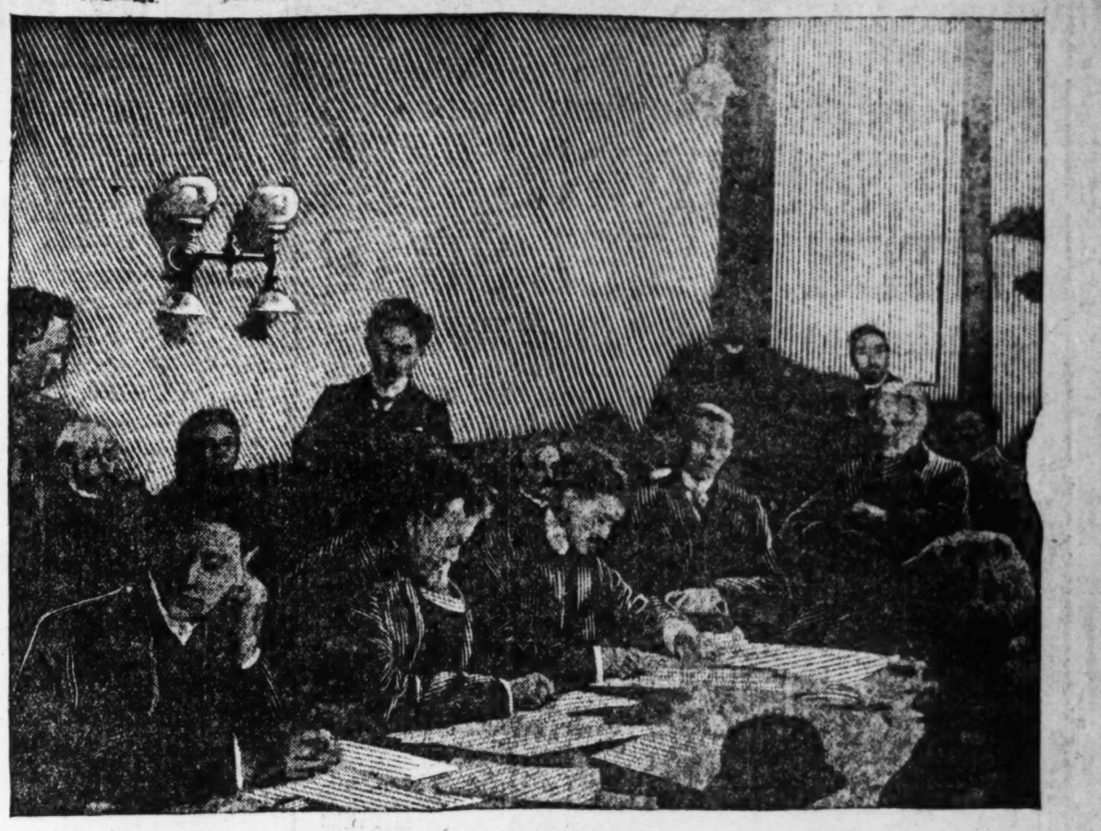
O child of Finland, wherefore fly
Thy noble Fatherland?
The stranger's bread is hard and dry,
And harsh his speech and hand;
His skies are lead, his heart is dead
Thy heart to understand;
O child of Finland, wherefore fly
Thy noble Fatherland?

O Finland's heir, thy land is fair
And bright from bound to bound;
Her seas serene; no gayer green
On tree or lea is found.
Her sun's a blaze of golden rays,
Her night an eve star-crowned.
O, Finland's heir, no land more rare
Or nobly fair is found.

Then, child of Finland, ne'er forget
Thy noble Fatherland;
For peace of mind is not to find
Upon a stranger's strand.
To that bright earth that gave thee birth
Thou owest heart and hand,
Then fealty swear to Finland fair,
Our famous Fatherland.

STUDY OF FACES OF JONES AND PATRICK

By HARRIET HUBBARD AYER.



First Photograph of the Scene in the Courtroom During the Patrick-Jones-Rice Will Case.

VALET JONES IS A DEGENERATE TYPE

NEW YORK, April 6.—The face of Charles F. Jones, who with Lawyer Albert T. Patrick is charged with murdering Millionaire Rice and who has confessed the crime, as he sat nonchalantly in his chair yesterday, talking as pleasantly of "Mr. Rice's death" as though he were describing a trip through the Holy Land, was a wonderful study.

If Jones were pointed out as a fanatical religious enthusiast there would instantly arise a score of persons who would recognize in him the Hampstead Heath type of exhorter. He looks far more eligible for the Salvation Army uniform than the prison stripes.

He belongs to the weak-minded, but not to the malefactor type.

The man who chattily recounts the murder of his benefactor—and usually does so in these terms: "When Mr. Rice died, or the day before he died"—has a flat head. It is noticeably so where the bump of conscientiousness should be—there is even a depression at that point.

The head is also narrow on top and slopes off at the sides. Men and women with these heads rarely have a correct moral sense.

Their ideas of right and wrong are vague. An ambitious man might, with that sloping head, be able to argue in his own mind so as to justify himself for any act that would help him along in the world short of physical violence.

His Facial Make-Up.

A man of Jones' make-up would hardly do physical violence unless physically attacked. Driven into a corner he would be vicious, but he would stand a good deal before he retaliated.

A man of Jones' facial make-up is usually extremely fond of society. He likes to talk, likes much to hear himself talk and has a natural gift of conversation. Such a man, though possessed of a very scant education, will astonish his hearers by his choice of words, his enunciation and pronunciation, all of which he has acquired from observation—contact with cultured men and women.

Jones may be telling the truth now—who shall say?—but he would be equally plausible were he telling a lie. The way he closes his mouth after he has delivered himself of a well-turned sentence reminds one of the speaker who has made his reputation and waits for applause when he feels applause should be his.

I do not like Jones' mouth nor the three-cornered smile which breaks its hard lines whenever an amusing contretemps occurs between the lawyers for the state and the defense.

A man with a head so narrow as Jones' is morally weak.

He would scarcely be able to withstand a great temptation, and he would have no compunction for wrongdoing which did not imply brutality. The remainder of the head is fairly normal in its development.

The ears are distinctly of the degenerate type, which is always an example of malformation. It is the muscular ear, set high up and projects. The opening is large and the possessor probably has a quick ear for musical sounds. He might also be a skillful mechanic or even a good physician. This formation implies a very delicate sensibility to sound.

It is of a good color and shows a certain amount of courage, not of that order we call moral.

It is unrefined and would be appropriate to the man without a conscience, because it is significant of moral insensibility.

Criminal Stigma.

The face is symmetrical, the left side more developed than the right.

The eyes, slightly oblique, are not of the well-emphasized untruthful type, which mean treachery and secretiveness and are recognized immediately by anyone who pays the slightest attention to facial signs.

Jones' eyes come pretty near to being honest-looking—they just miss it.

They are very politic, deep-seated eyes and denote a certain agreeableness of personality and a real sense of humor.

Men and women with these eyes are extremely plausible. They like to please and have not a strict regard for truth and will sacrifice a fact or so ornament it that its reception will cause no unpleasantness, however disagreeable it is in an undressed state.

It is not the cruel eye of the murderer, nor the furtive eye of the thief, but rather that of the agreeable diplomatist, unfettered by creeds or facts.

The chin is weak. It is short and scooped out. All hollows in the countenance denote deficiency in a greater or less degree. Jones' chin is not brutal, but his mouth is one distinctly low down in the moral scale, as this feature is read by facial signs.

Because of its mobility the mouth is sooner affected by the inner life than any other feature, not excepting the eyes, which are very good tell-tales also. Jones' mouth is not straight. The line of closure is higher on the left than on the right side.

Mouths that get askew thus exhibit the effect of the law of perversion. For centuries the crooked mouth has been regarded as significant of mendacity and moral insensibility.

Told by the Cheek.

The cheek-bones are high, but not brutally so. They are of the type that one often sees in good nurses and persons who are skillful with their hands. Many of the best massage operators, I have especially noticed, possess these cheek-bones.

The nose is slightly concave, again showing a low moral standard and lack of conscience. Jones is of the persuasive type. He has proved himself a convincing talker.

Jones betrayed his state of mind while in the witness chair only by his hands.

It is a curious fact that a man may not lie with his hands.

His mouth, his eyes, his walk will lend themselves to any character his mind determines upon.

But his hands will reveal the actual conditions of the man, particularly of the man under a great tension.

When Jones was being examined by Mr. Osborne he felt that he was on friendly territory. He sat with his fingers loosely entwined—every muscle relaxed.

The moment Mr. Moore began to hurl his incisive questions at him Jones' hands changed position. The right one grasped the left with a vise-like grip that swelled the knuckles till they looked ready to burst.

Jones' hands are big—plebeian and very capable looking—they are the typical useful hand of the man of humble origin.

LAWYER PATRICK'S THE MASTER MIND

Looking at the two men, Patrick and Jones, the least thoughtful observer would recognize in Patrick the master and in Jones the subordinate.

It would be impossible to picture Patrick as Jones' dupe, by which I by no means suggest that Jones' last confession or any of his previous statements are true as to the manner of Mr. Rice's death and his own and Patrick's connection with it.

Patrick's head, or the greater part of it, is bald.

It is a curious head and one to be remarked at a glance as of unusual conformation. Patrick has not what is called a normal skull.

If it were measured by any one of the systems in vogue it would certainly find its classification among the abnormalities, and while a man with such a skull formation certainly is not for that reason to be judged as a delinquent, at the same time the criminal population as a whole and the habitual criminal in particular is to be distinguished from the average members of society by malformations of the skull and face. All deviations from normal types reveal departure from normal action in the nutritive system.

His Bump of Sagacity.

Patrick has an extraordinary protuberance just above his forehead, showing great sagacity and power of analogy. These reflective faculties are over-developed, which is as great an indication of weakness as a lack of the same attributes. Over-development tends to destroy mental balance.

Just back of the frontal pertuberance Patrick's head shows a depression amounting to a hollow. If there were an elevation there it would be a sign for benevolence. The signs for veneration and conscientiousness are also lacking, but the bump of self-esteem is well developed.

The organ of constructiveness is large and Patrick ought to be able to exhibit great powers of concentration. He should be able to stick to a plan after he makes it.

He will not be apt to tell more than one story when it comes his turn to talk.

The organ of acquisitiveness is large.

The best feature of Patrick's head is the well-developed indications for love of children; the worst, its absolute lack of reverence.

Nothing is sacred to the man who reveres neither age nor virtue.

As to Patrick's face, the most telling feature, the mouth, is covered by a beard. It is impossible to tell what the mouth might reveal. The lower lip projects, which is a sign of tenacity—it belongs naturally to the man who is capable of great concentration.

The shape of the face is round and the reverse of intellectual.

The full cheeks show a fondness for eating, with a certain amount of hospitality.

Subjects with such cheeks usually like company at meals.

Has a Weak Nose.

The real criminal cheek is described as giving one the idea of a mass of soft, doughy substance which has fallen into a chance or haphazard form and has not been acted upon by any normal law of shaping.

All criminals are not characterized by abnormal cheek formation, but certainly many of them do exhibit an irregular shape of this feature. Patrick's nose is not a strong feature—it is thin and narrow between the eyes, and while the owners of such noses may possess a certain amount of obstinacy they rarely exhibit great, or rather permanently sustained will power.

The nose is of the selfish type, and very selfish men are apt to be shortsighted. The nostrils present an upward line which suggests an inquisitive and hopeful nature. The sharp lines of the nostrils denote acute powers but unstable ones.

The eyes are seen only through spectacles. They are deep set and small, rather sharp in expression and restless.

Except when he looked at Jones, which he did long and often, Patrick did not offer a steady gaze to anyone in the courtroom yesterday.

There is nothing cruel or brutal in the look of Patrick's eyes. They are sharp, and that is the most that can be said of them. The interciliary space is slight, showing a practical rather than an imaginative mind. The outline of the eyebrows is oblique, with a very pronounced upward slant from the inner termini.

Physiognomists read these eyebrows as infallible signs of treachery and craftiness.

The forehead projects, showing the impracticability of the subject.

Patrick has few wrinkles in his face, but he has three lines above the left eye that are curious and unusual, as they are oblique and only on one side of the face—they are not favorable signs.

An unwrinkled adult face does not tell a story of deep feelings, and Patrick's face is as smooth as an infant's, except for the wrinkles mentioned and for the two deep lines between the eyes, which are called cat wrinkles, and indicate rapacity.

Degenerate Ear Also.

Patrick's ear is his most distinctly degenerate feature.

It is large, broad and flapping in appearance, very red in color, with a heavy fold and an attached lobe.

It is set low down on the head and projects—a truly atavistic example.

I noticed that Patrick's hands are small and white, and that the little finger of the left hand is almost, if not quite, as long as the third and fourth fingers.

In fact, when the hand was folded over an object all four fingers appeared to be the same length.

This is distinctly a degenerate symbol.

As with Jones, Patrick betrayed his state of mind by his hands. When the proceedings began his hands lay limp in his lap.

As the valet proceeded with his damning story Patrick kept his hands every second in motion.

He picked at bits of paper, tearing them to shreds, and finally, when apparently unconscious of the effect his actions might have upon the spectators, he began to fidget with the buttons of his waistcoat. Before Jones had finished his recital Patrick had unfastened every button to his high waistcoat and looked as though he were endeavoring to find relief from the rays of an August sun rather than the voice of a man of whom he alleges he stands in no fear. It is not fair to judge a man in Patrick's situation by his physical make-up, but it is a long time since I have seen a prisoner in the Criminal Court presenting so many abnormalities as Albert Patrick.

GOVERNOR DIETRICH TO QUIT.

Nebraska's Chief Executive, It Is Reported, Will Resign April 15.

OMAHA, Neb., April 6.—Gov. Dietrich will resign his office April 15, according to the latest reports. Lieutenant-Governor E. P. Savage will take the oath soon after and by the 1st of May he will have the state government well in hand. This announcement is regarded as the mark of a signal victory on the part of Savage and his backers, for it is known that Gov. Dietrich had been advised to hold on until Dec. 1 in furtherance of the interests of some of his influential friends, including many of his appointees. The latter are quite restive under the sudden change of administration. While a majority of them are secure in their post, the advent of Savage will cause intrigues and bickerings which would have been impossible under Dietrich.

DE RESZKE HAS BRONCHITIS.

Great Tenor Causes Change of Play in Boston Opera Bill.

BOSTON, Mass., April 6.—The sudden indisposition of Jean De Reszke necessitated a change of the grand opera bill tonight from "Le Cid" to Meyerbeer's masterpiece, "Les Hugenots." The great tenor, it is said, is suffering from an attack of bronchitis, so painful as to make it absolutely impossible for him to sing without seriously endangering his vocal chords. His physician says his illness is not severe and that with proper care will be entirely recovered in a day or two.

HOPE FOR UNVACCINATED.

Judge of Michigan Circuit Court Renders an Important Decision.

KALAMAZOO, Mich., April 6.—Judge John A. Adams of the Circuit Court has issued a peremptory injunction requiring the local school authorities not to bar the children of George Matthews, who were excluded from the school because their parents refused to have them vaccinated. The decision is the result of a test case entered into in a friendly spirit between Matthews and the school authorities with the understanding that the other side take the case to the Supreme Court.

ACTRESS TO GET A DIVORCE.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., April 6.—The suit for $25,000 damages which was being brought in this city by Miss Katie Jones Reed, a well-known actress, has been dismissed. Miss Reed is a sister of Ilda Orme and "Buffalo" Jones and the cause of the suit was that her husband's affections had been alienated. Mr. Reed has agreed to his wife's desire for a divorce and he is willing to deed her considerable property and to grant her the alimony she is asking. This renders the progress of the suit for alienation unnecessary.

THIS WEEK LAST OF THE CASTLE SQUARE. .... OTHER ATTRACTIONS AT THE THEATERS

THEATRICAL DIRECTORY.

- Century—"The Governor's Son."
- Columbia—Vaudeville.
- Music Hall—Opera (last week).
- Olympic—"Lady Huntworth's Experiment."
- Standard—Burlesque.

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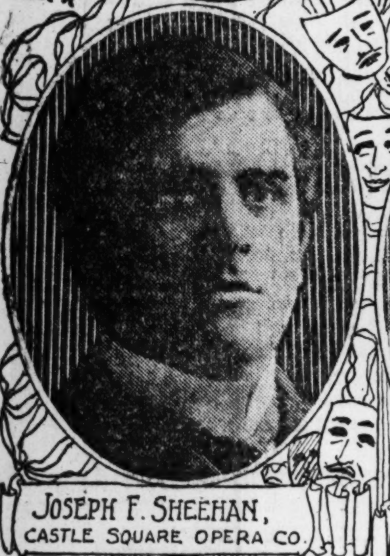

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THE theatrical season is drawing to a close, but the close promises to be as full of interest as the opening. Easter week particularly will be full of entertainment, both from the fact that we are to have something new both at the Olympic and Century, and because the Castle Square company will give a series of operas from the season's most pronounced successes. There are still several good things booked for the Olympic, notably Ada Rehan in "Sweet Nell of Old Drury" and the Nat Goodwin production of the "Merchant of Venice." The popular-priced houses also see the end of the season near at hand.

As I have remarked before, it was too bad that Mr. Willard could not have had larger audiences, for a more delightful week has not been enjoyed by theatergoers this season. But what the audiences lacked in size they made up in enthusiasm. Not during the entire season has there been such hearty applause as was bestowed upon Mr. Willard. Even after the fall of the last curtain the audience remained, determined to make Mr. Willard appear as his real self.

I have not seen such a sight as I saw Monday evening during the entire season. When the curtain fell everybody remained to applaud. I have seen audiences remain and applaud frequently after the fall of the last curtain, but this was chiefly due to the fact that the house was shrouded in darkness and the star refused to turn on the lights, simply to force the applause. This was most noticeable during the engagement of James K. Hackett and Maude Adams. It was noticeable because one would not expect it of them. It was undignified and tended to cheapen the production. It is a practice which, if continued, will become decidedly unpopular. No first-class actor or actress can afford to resort to such tricks. If their work calls for applause, let them be sure they will get it.

Vide E. S. Willard.

Comparison was drawn by a number of persons during Mr. Willard's engagement of his portrayal of "David Garrick" and that of the elder Sothern.

Manager Short of the Olympic was among those who spoke of the similarity and the differences, and during a conversation with Mr. Willard remarked the similarity.

"It would not be strange," said Mr. Willard, "if my version was much like the elder Sothern, as I was a member of his company when he was playing 'David Garrick.' I played the part of Brown."

Brown is the man who goes to sleep in the second act.

We are to have the four Cohans at the Century this week, beginning tonight, in "The Governor's Son." The Cohans are well known to St. Louis theater-goers as vaudeville artists of much merit. What the famous Vokes family was to the past generation the Cohans promise to become to this. Just as the former were the exemplars of a distinct form of entertainment in their day so the Cohans are the favorite purveyors of fun now. In both instances reputation was won by presenting small plays and then enhancing it by the production of more ambitious but none the less delightful works. The four Cohans are the more interesting because they are father, mother, brother and sister.

"The Governor's Son" is by George Cohan and the company producing it includes some exceedingly clever persons to the number of forty.

Daniel Frohman announces that his only reason for starring his leading woman, Miss Hilda Spong, is to fix more distinctly in the minds of theater-goers the identity of the Daly stock company, just as years ago he established its identity, when touring, by featuring Georgia Cayvan. It is not his intention to attempt to force her into stellar prominence in the new play, "Lady Huntworth's Experience," which will be given its first production in St. Louis at the Olympic tomorrow night, unless she wins such prominence by her merits.

Miss Spong is young and English. She began her stage career eight years ago in Australia. Her father, John B. Spong, is the eminent London scene painter. Upon returning with her parents from Australia to London four years ago, she was at once engaged by John Coleman for the leading part in a Drury Lane production. She appeared subsequently in other important roles and created the part of Imogen Parrott in "Trelawney of the Wells" at the Court Theater, London, a role for which Mr. Pinero selected her. Daniel Frohman had been in communication with the English actress, and when he saw her performance in London in "Trelawney of the Wells" he immediately engaged her for three years with the view of making her the leading woman of his stock company. Miss Spong, though above the average in size, is the youngest leading woman Mr. Frohman has yet had.

She was seen here earlier in the season in "The Ambassador" and "The Maneuvers of Jane." There will be a bargain matinee Wednesday.

With the current week the second season of the Castle Square Opera Company in St. Louis comes to a close.

The 21 weeks comprising the organization's second local sojourn have been uniformly successful on the artistic as well as the financial side. The company has retained all its old friends, and has made hosts of new ones, and by so doing, it goes without saying, has advanced the cause of music in St. Louis in a more definite manner than any other agency that has ever operated locally in like kind.

The season's repertoire has been co-extensive with the best expressions extant of the operatic art. No class of works has been neglected; corrupt examples of each school have been offered, and the public taste has been conserved and fostered whenever it was definitely ascertainable. The management has been at pains to follow the prevailing judgment and changeful temperament of the people, and has never set itself up as an arbiter in that relation.

On the score of opera production on the technical side of its endeaver, the Castle Square company has demonstrated its claims of being the most complete lyric organization in America.

The well-defined artistic success of the company is in no small measure due to the scholarly conduct of its musical affairs by Director Liesegang and the circumspect, precise and finished control of stage matters by Stage Director Edward P. Temple.

For "farewell week" this repertoire has been selected: Monday, "Faust;" Tuesday, "Martha;" Wednesday matinee, "Bohemian Girl;" Wednesday night, "Lucia;" Thursday, "Il Trovatore;" Friday, "Lohengrin;" Saturday matinee, "Il Trovatore;" Saturday night, "Patience."

During the latter performance distinguished members of the company will sing operatic solos, and the entire company will join in a soul-stirring rendition of the old favorite parting song, "Auld Lang Syne."

Another European novelty, in the person of Kara the Great, heads the new bill at the Columbia Theater. He was a good deal of a sensation the last time he came to this country, and vaudeville managers have welcomed the chance to get him back again. Kara's success lies in his originality. He is a juggler and a comedian. Tom Lewis, popular black-face entertainer, appears with his new partner, Sam Ryan, in a sketch called "The Actor." Lewis has a part that he wrote for himself, so there isn't much chance that the public will find fault with it. Thorne and Carleton play a return engagement and promise a budget of new jokes. Polk and Kollins, banjoists, are well known from previous engagements in this city. It suffices to say that they are at the head of this class of entertainers. The four Huntings have a spirited acrobatic comedy act. Zeb and Zarrow, expert wheelmen, promise something new in the line of leaping on the bicycle. Edna Collins, whistler and bird imitator, and Hayman and Hayman, character impersonators, add variety to the program. Others who will appear are Leah Russell, high-class vocalist; Rosley and Rostelle, sketch artists; Carrie Winner, singing soubrette, and Proctor and Hamilton, colored artists.

WITH THE MUSICIANS.

THE St. Louis Orchestra has been formally organized with Homer Moore as conductor, Frederick Fischer, assistant conductor, and Frank Gecks, concert meister. The personnel of the orchestra includes 50 of the best musicians in the city selected from the Castle Square Opera Company and the Choral-Symphony Orchestra. The immediate purpose of the organization is to give a series of concerts in the Odeon beginning Sunday, April 14. The program will be popular in nature and an effort will be made to give to the resident solo artists, both instrumental and vocal, the prominence which their ability merits and which the musical welfare and upbuilding of St. Louis demand. Arrangements have already been made for the appearance at these concerts of the following well-known performers:

Mme. Ida Fitzhugh Shepard, Charles Galloway, Alfred G. Robyn, Harry J. Fellows, George C. Carrie, Burt P. McKinnie, James J. Rohan, Arthur Rodes, Mrs. Nannie K. Dodson, Mrs. Louis A. Corley, Miss Marian E. Jones, Miss Lulu Kunkel, Miss Wilhelmina Lowe, Mr. P. G. Anton, August Halter, A. I. Epstein and M. B. Griffith. Others will be added to the list as the concerts proceed and as arrangements are perfected.

The soloists for the first concert will be Mme. Ida Fitzhugh Shepard, Mr. eGorge C. Carrie, Mr. James J. Rohan, Mr. Burt P. McKinnie and Miss Wilhelmina Lowe.

Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, April 23 and 24, Theodore Thomas and his Chicago Orchestra will give two concerts in the Odeon. All who heard them last February will certainly be pleased to know of this return engagement. If the St. Louis public extends the same hearty welcome to Mr. Thomas this time as it did in February arrangements will be made for three series of concerts next season, with two concerts in each series, making six concerts in all.

Here is the program for this afternoon's popular concert at the Odeon:

Organ and Piano—Lesperance ....Robyn
Miss Margaret McLelland. Mr. Alfred G. Robyn.
Duet—I Feel Thy Angel Spirit........Hoffmann
Messrs. James and John Rohan.
Song—For All Eternity ....Mascheroni
Miss Genevieve Hussey.
Violin—Walter's Prize Song......Wagner-Wilhelmy
Mr. Sidney Schiele.
Sextette—Lucia ....Verdi
Miss Jeanette MacClanahan, Miss Marietta Bagby, Messrs. Buse, Robinson, James and John Rohan.
Organ and Piano—Kammenoi ....Rubenstein
Miss Lucia G. Markle. Mr. Alfred G. Robyn.
Duet—Night in Venice ....Arditi
Mrs. E. T. Price. Mr. Joseph Buse.
Violin—
(a) Berceuse ....Godard
(b) Serenade ....Pierne
Mr. Sidney Schiele.
Trio—Attila ....Verdi
Miss Irene Critchfield. Messrs. James and John Rohan.
Organ—Storm at Sea ....Robyn
Mr. Alfred G. Robyn.
Fourth Act of Faust—
Miss Jeanette MacClanahan. Mr. Joseph Buse. Mr. James Rohan.

HEARD IN THE WINGS.

MME. SCALCHI, the famous operatic contralto, will make her vaudeville debut in September, having been booked by Robert Grau. Mr. Grau has recently booked the tours of Verona Jarbeau, Homer Lind and George W. Leslie.

Maude Odell, who has been leading woman with the Baldwin-Melville Stock Company at the Grand Opera House, New Orleans, will go to Montreal later in the same capacity. In the summer she will rest in Europe, having played winter and summer for four years.

Eva Tanguay is out of the cast of "My Lady" at the Victoria. Isabella Darmond succeeded her.

Beginning with the matinee today, the "Knickerbocker Burlesquers" will begin a return engagement at the Standard Theater. The company is entirely new from start to finish, embracing a brilliant gathering of well-known and favorite specialty artists and comedians, foremost of whom are Bert Leslie, the unctuous comedist, assisted by the charming comedienne, Miss Sophie Leslie; Rosalie, in a new repertoire of significant songs; the rapid-fire humorists and sweet singers, Carleton and Terre; the three bewitching and petite danseuses; the marvelous triple-bar performers and La Moyne Brothers, who will introduce their wonderful bag-punching dog, "Spike."

A benefit will be tendered to J. A. Streeper, the doorkeeper at the Olympic, on the evening of April 15. Dick Richey, assistant treasurer, will also take his benefit that night. They are popular employes.

Herbert Kelcey and Effie Shannon will continue to present "Manon Lescaut" for the remainder of the season.

Messrs. Stuever and Hopkins announce the opening of Forest Park Highlands for Sunday, May 12. The usual program, matinee and evening performance, will be maintained. Among the opening attractions is Grace Van Studdiford. The acts which will be offered this season will be of the massive, showy kind. They have been booked during the winter, after showing in long New York engagements at the leading vaudeville houses. The Cragg family of gymnasts and the Agousts, who have been at the Victoria Theater the entire season, are new in the West and will play their first engagements outside of New York at Forest Park Highlands. This popular resort is now in the hands of the painters, electricians and landscape gardeners, who are preparing it for the opening. Five hundred incandescent lamps in fancy figures and single clusters are being added to the illuminating power of the Highlands, and a new section will be built to the scenic railway.

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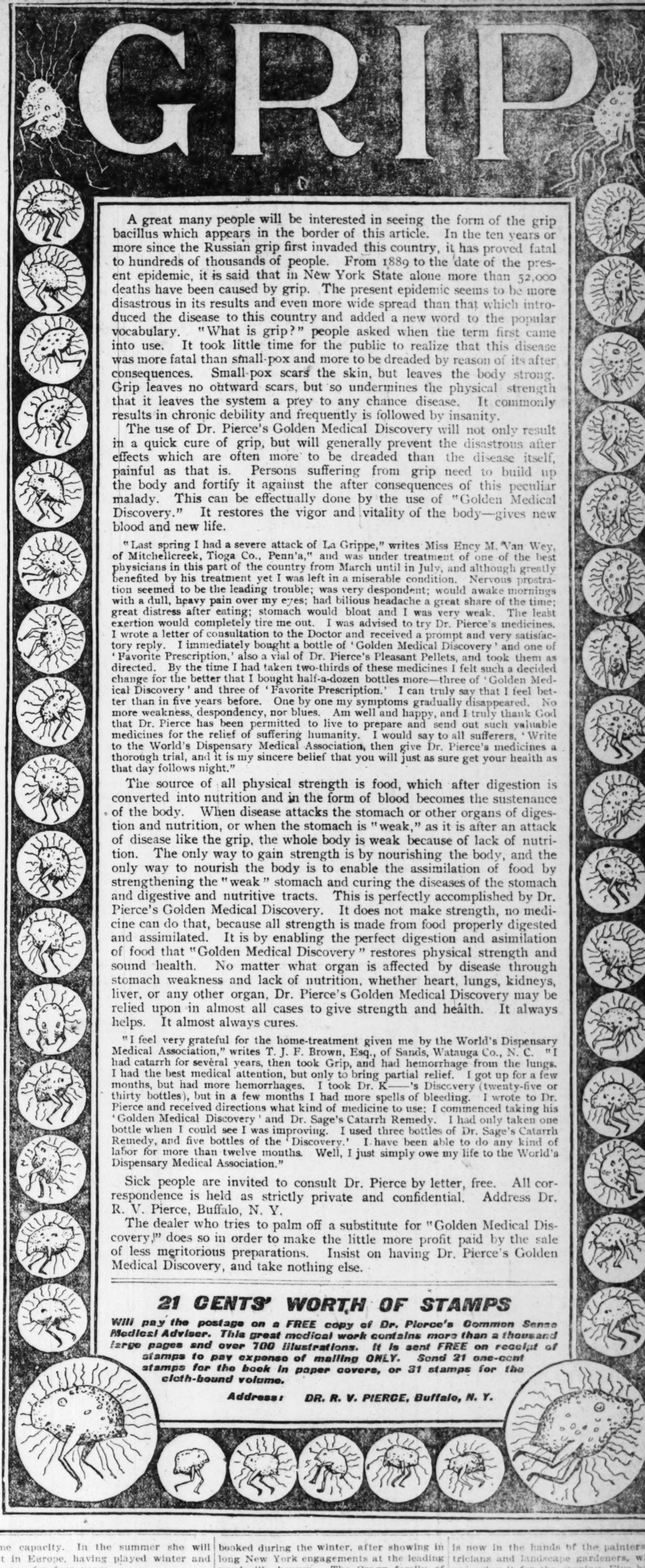

GRIP

A great many people will be interested in seeing the form of the grip bacillus which appears in the border of this article. In the ten years or more since the Russian grip first invaded this country, it has proved fatal to hundreds of thousands of people. From 1889 to the date of the present epidemic, it is said that in New York State alone more than 52,000 deaths have been caused by grip. The present epidemic seems to be more disastrous in its results and even more wide spread than that which introduced the disease to this country and added a new word to the popular vocabulary. "What is grip?" people asked when the term first came into use. It took little time for the public to realize that this disease was more fatal than small-pox and more to be dreaded by reason of its after consequences. Small-pox scars the skin, but leaves the body strong. Grip leaves no outward scars, but so undermines the physical strength that it leaves the system a prey to any chance disease. It commonly results in chronic debility and frequently is followed by insanity.

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"Last spring I had a severe attack of La Grippe," writes Miss Ency M. Van Wey, of Mitchellcreek, Tioga Co., Penn'a," and was under treatment of one of the best physicians in this part of the country from March until in July, and although greatly benefited by his treatment yet I was left in a miserable condition. Nervous prostration seemed to be the leading trouble; was very despondent; would awake mornings with a dull, heavy pain over my eyes; had bilious headache a great share of the time; great distress after eating; stomach would bloat and I was very weak. The least exertion would completely tire me out. I was advised to try Dr. Pierce's medicines. I wrote a letter of consultation to the Doctor and received a prompt and very satisfactory reply. I immediately bought a bottle of 'Golden Medical Discovery' and one of 'Favorite Prescription,' also a vial of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, and took them as directed. By the time I had taken two-thirds of these medicines I felt such a decided change for the better that I bought half-a-dozen bottles more—three of 'Golden Medical Discovery' and three of 'Favorite Prescription.' I can truly say that I feel better than in five years before. One by one my symptoms gradually disappeared. No more weakness, despondency, nor blues. Am well and happy, and I truly thank God that Dr. Pierce has been permitted to live to prepare and send out such valuable medicines for the relief of suffering humanity. I would say to all sufferers, 'Write to the World's Dispensary Medical Association, then give Dr. Pierce's medicines a thorough trial, and it is my sincere belief that you will just as sure get your health as that day follows night."

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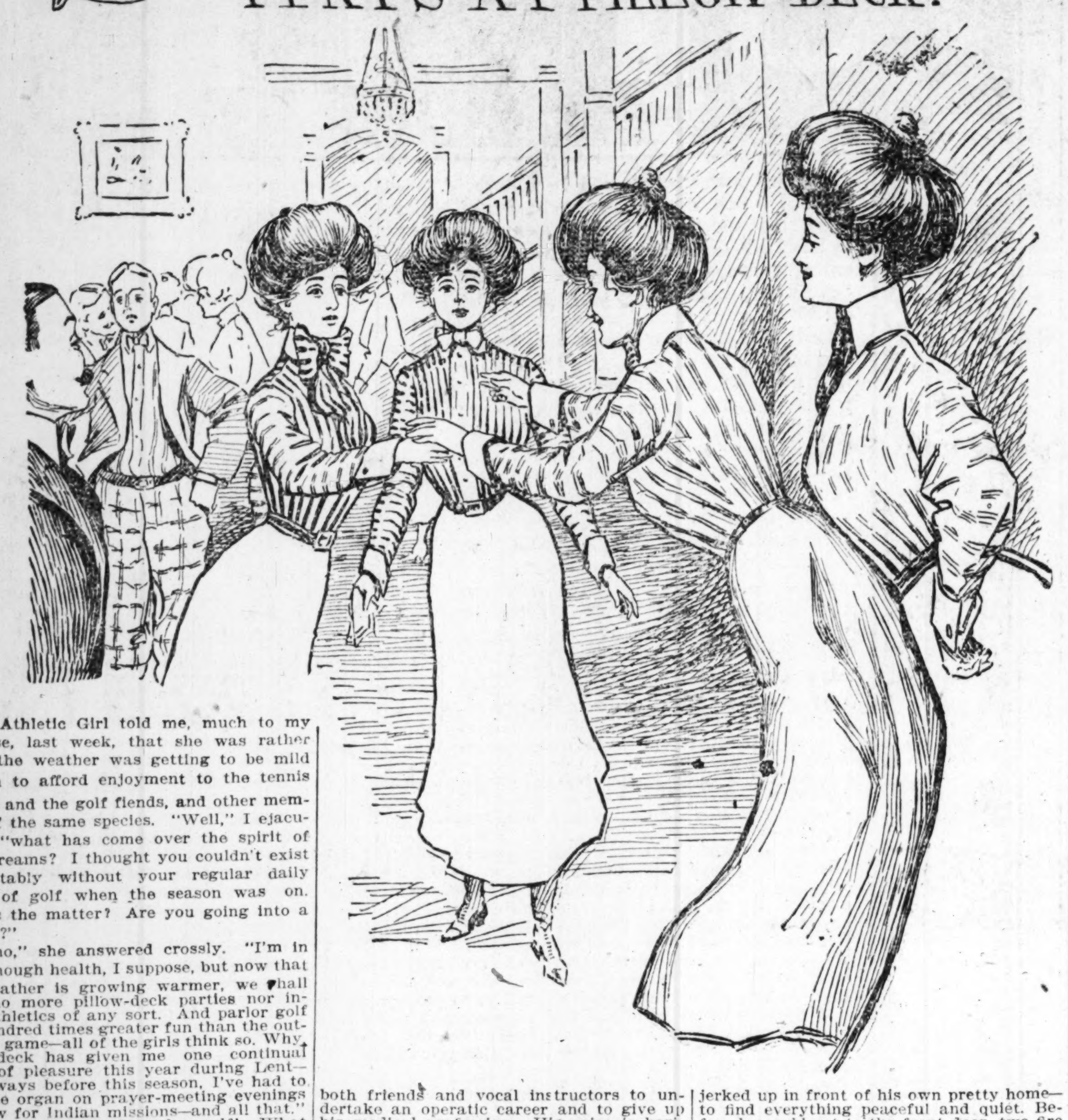
SOCIETY

PLAYS AT PILLOW-DECK.



The Athletic Girl told me, much to my surprise, last week, that she was rather sorry the weather was getting to be mild enough to afford enjoyment to the tennis cranks and the golf fiends, and other members of the same species. "Well," I ejaculated, "what has come over the spirit of your dreams? I thought you couldn't exist comfortably without your regular daily round of golf when the season was on. What's the matter? Are you going into a decline?"

"O, no," she answered crossly. "I'm in good enough health, I suppose, but now that the weather is growing warmer, we shall have no more pillow-deck parties nor indoor athletics of any sort. And parlor golf is a hundred times greater fun than the out-of-door game—all of the girls think so. Why, pillow-deck has given me one continual round of pleasure this year during Lent—and always before this season, I've had to play the organ on prayer-meeting evenings and sew for Indian missions—and all that."

Pillow decks! And parlor golf! What memories do ye bestir in my mind. Was it not at the spacious Kennard residence in Portland place that you two innocent entertainers stirred up such excitement earlier in the season? I recall that about 20 young people were invited to play golf with the Misses Kennard one frigid night in February and that the guests were especially requested to wear their outing clothes. The girls all appeared in white duck golf skirts and the men in their pink coats and checkered knickerbockers.

The introductory "event" on the evening's program was a contest for prizes at pillow deck or parlor handball, which is played in exactly the same manner as is the regular sport, except that the balls are large rubber balloons. And the balloons exhibit invariably a maddening tendency to float upward the minute they are allowed to escape from the grasp of the players. No matter how forcibly they are propelled toward the "wall," they sail weakly ahead for a few inches and then rise aggravatingly toward the ceiling. The result can easily be imagined. Everybody climbing over everybody else in a reckless, romping, desperate determination to capture a balloon before it floated out of reach. And always, a running accompaniment of excited shrieks and hysterical laughter. It is great fun—but a little hard on the furniture. At the Kennard affair, the handball game was followed by golf, each player being armed with a short lofter and a hollow rubber ball about three inches in diameter. Upstairs and downstairs the elusive little balls were pursued; in the drawing room, library, dining room and kitchen, through the halls, up the broad staircase, all over the second floor and down again. Bunkers were improvised out of sofas and chairs, banister railings were used for fences and all other obstructions, such as chandeliers, carved fretwork and the like, were treated as trees and bushes. After a while, when some of the rubber balls had cunningly hidden themselves away, after the characteristic fashion of the real gutta percha article, they were replaced by some of the pillow deck balloons and soon the fun grew fast and furious. The game lasted for an hour and a half and at the end of that time the prizes were awarded and each guest was presented with a dainty little souvenir. "Stock was taken" of the furniture and strange to say there had been absolutely no casualties—not even a slight abrasion.

Supper was served, and afterward everybody repaired to the gymnasium to conclude the evening appropriately. A set of boxing gloves were taken off the wall and a fistic festival began, in which the girls participated, while the men refereed. And oh dear! dear! don't you know that nearly every girl in the party proved herself not only a practiced, but almost an expert, boxer. And yet there wasn't a moment when anything but the spirit of pure fun prevailed, with everybody in the best of good humor. The evening had been generally voted by those who attended the affair as the most enjoyable of the entire winter.

Speaking of athletics in society reminds me that I have been hearing a great deal lately about Miss Julia Cabanne's proficiency in sports of all kinds—particularly in those which are usually found to be too strenuous by the majority of women. Miss Cabanne enjoys, however, a perfection of health and physique and a natural fondness for out-of-door exercise which few of the spoiled darlings of society can boast of possessing. She excels at golf and tennis and 'racquet' (the old game which was revived at Jamestown last summer), and pulls an oar with the best of the Cabanne athletes.

She is also an excellent horsewoman, an unerring rifle shot, a good sailor and an indefatigable swimmer. And with it all, Miss Cabanne is an uncommonly pretty girl and a remarkably witty one. Society might be a little more profitable institution if it had a few more such.

Miss Alice Morton, Miss Edna Gamble, **Mrs. Ed Simmons** and Miss Susan Larkin-Thomson, however, may soon demand a share of Miss Cabanne's laurels, as I hear they, too, are becoming devotees of vigorous open-air exercises.

Quite a large party of St. Louisans will go on to Kansas City for the Carton-Hurt wedding Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Farrar, Miss Viola Benoist, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Benoist, Mr. and Mrs. John Carton and one or two others will form a pleasant party of relatives of the bridegroom-elect, which will make the trip in a private car. The nuptial ball at the Coates' House, after the ceremony, is to be a very gorgeous affair, with lavish floral decorations, ordered from all over the country. One florist alone has received an order for 300 Easter lilies to be used with as many American beauties in decorating the dining room. Six hundred guests will attend the ball, out of the thousand who were invited.

Mrs. James Fred Roach, who was Miss Kate Shotwell before her marriage, and who is one of the most attractive young married women in society, is much disturbed over a rumor rife in fashionable circles to the effect that both she and her husband, Dr. Roach, are preparing for a professional career on the comic opera stage. It is true that Dr. Roach did at one time—early in the winter—entertain some idea of enjoying life behind the footlights, and it is also true that he is now in New York studying music while he perfects himself in his medical researches also. But Mrs. Roach is in St. Louis and is stopping with her mother, Mrs. R. H. Shotwell of Washington boulevard, with whom she will remain until she goes east to join her husband late in the spring.

Dr. Roach has been often advised by both friends and vocal instructors to undertake an operatic career and to give up his medical profession. His voice is baritone—powerful and clear, but as yet lacking the necessary cultivation and training to insure a favorable impression on the critics. Mrs. Roach is also a singer of considerable ability and as she and her husband have both been heard a number of times at semi-public musical events, it is not difficult to see whence the report arose.

The first of April this year witnessed at least one practical joke which came near causing considerable trouble in a certain happy little home on Berlin avenue. The woman—of course there was a woman in it—is the wife of a young and wealthy business man, who drives downtown to his office every morning in a smart little runabout with red wheels.

Last Monday—April Fool's Day—he remarked to his wife, as he departed for "downtown," that he would not send his man back immediately with the trap, as he expected to use it in making several business calls.

When a half hour later he entered his private office in a large building on Broadway he found that his telephone was ringing madly. He placed the receiver to his ear and in answer to his calm "Well, hello!" he was hailed by his wife's voice asking nervously "Is this you, Ted? This is—oh for mercy's sake, come home as fast as you can—the house is on fire!"

Without waiting for more, Ted banged the receiver on the hook, rushed frantically out of the building, shouting to several friends as he ran, to turn in an alarm for his house on Berlin avenue. Then he leaped into his runabout, grabbed the reins from the astonished driver, and crashed up Olive street as though the arch-fiend himself pursued. The wild rides of Paul Revere, Tam O'Shanter, Skipper Ireson, John Gilpin, and even Sheridan weren't 1-2-49 with the performance of Friend Edward as he lashed his panting little chestnut into a dead run, the trap flying along on two wheels, and barely hitting the high places when he whirled around corners. In about 12 minutes he jerked up in front of his own pretty home—to find everything peaceful and quiet. Before he could get to the front door, two fire engines, a hookandladder, a hose cart and the Salvage Corps wagon arrived in a bunch, amid much smoke and more noise. All the neighboring houses blossomed with heads of all varieties, and several hundred persons rushed into the street.

In fear and trembling "Ted" burst in at the door and flew up stairs, four steps at a time, only to encounter silence—deadly silence, everywhere. Not a soul was stirring. "Ted" ran quickly from room to room calling excitedly to his wife. No answer. In the meantime the fire brigade were trooping noisily over the entire house, poking into corners and pulling recklessly at draperies. Poor Ted began to look rather crestfallen as he scampered about from pillar to post. Never once did he dream of this awful catastrophe being a joke. Slamming doors, pulling furniture about and glaring into dark nooks he finally yanked open the door of a small closet.

And there, sitting disconsolately on the floor, with her face puckered undecidedly between a laugh and a cry, sat Mrs. Ted.

"Oh dear, dear, dear, what have I done?" she cried. "I didn't dream that you would drop the telephone so soon. I was going to tell you! You see—don't you know—I'm sorry, but it's April Fool's Day."

WILL BECOME MRS. DAVID SOMMERS

MISS BLANCHE DREY,

Charming West End girl whose engagement was announced yesterday.

The engagement of Miss Blanche Drey and Mr. David Sommers was announced yesterday. Miss Drey is the daughter of Mrs. Marie Drey of the West End Hotel. Her father was the founder of the wholesale glass house of Drey & Kahn. Mr. David Sommers is the senior member of D. Sommers & Co., the well-known furniture house on Olive street.

The wedding will take place in the fall.

A simple but thoroughly delightful little entertainment last week was the card party given by Mrs. John Boyle of Washington boulevard to a few old friends, in honor of Mrs. Mary McKinley Filley. Mrs. Filley has come over from her home in England to make arrangements for a permanent residence in St. Louis. Mrs. Filley, who is a remarkably handsome and an exceedingly cultured woman, will be welcomed gladly back into St. Louis society, where she was once a great belle. Her daughter, who was the guest of Mrs. Dwight Filley of Westmoreland place last winter, is also an unusually beautiful woman.

Mrs. Filley will return to England late in April and in the interim will visit her cousin, Mrs. John T. Davis, Mrs. Ben Gray, Mrs. Amos Thayer and Mrs. John Boyle. She will return to St. Louis in the fall with her family and will remain here permanently.

Fashionable folk are anticipating with considerable pleasure the series of al fresco "at homes" that are to be given later by Mrs. Charles Clark, Sr., at her superb country place, "Clarkhurst," in Normandy. The garden parties will be in honor of Miss Lenore Scullin—who will then be Mrs. Charles Clark, Jr., as the wedding takes place Wednesday of this week.

Mr. Clark has, by the way, planned a very lengthy and remarkable wedding trip for himself and his bride, but the exact points of interest they will visit during their foreign tour will be kept a secret.

THE BUTTERFLY.

One of the prettiest of the Easter weddings will be that of Miss Rosalie Dillenberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Dillenberg, to Mr. Leslie Lieber, Tuesday evening at 6:30 o'clock. The ceremony will be performed in the large drawing room of the Columbian Club, on Lindell boulevard, with Rabbi Samuel Sale officiating. The decorations, which are to be very elaborate, will be Easter lilies and pink roses, mingled with quantities of smilax and ferns.

Only the two families and near relatives will be present. Miss May Lieber, a sister of the bridegroom, will be maid of honor, with Mr. Arthur Lieber as best man. The ushers will be Messrs. Isaac Dillenberg, Sinclair Lieber, Sol Hohenthal, Joe Dillenberg, Harry Dillenberg and Walter Marx.

The wedding will be followed by a banquet in the club cafe.

The Dillenberg-Lieber bridal party and one or two friends were entertained Monday evening at a handsome dinner party given by Mrs. Joel Swope. Covers were laid for 12 and the table was prettily decorated with pink roses and lilies of the valley.

Another pretty dinner party last week was given Sunday night by Mr. and Mrs. Ben Strauss in honor of their daughter, Miss Flora Strauss, who will be married in June to Mr. Alfred Frank. Although this was merely a family affair, the decorations were gorgeous. At each place lay a huge bunch of Parma violets, while in the center of the table was a great growing palm, rising from a bed of Easter lilies. Among the lilies and palm leaves gleamed myriads of tiny incandescent lights, which also formed festoons with garlands of smilax, about the chandelier.

There were fifteen persons present.

Mrs. T. E. Metz of 3610A South Broadway was given a surprise party Wednesday afternoon by a number of friends. The guests present were: Mmes. George Kellogg, A. Johnson, Weber, Montgomery, Cloak, Brooman, Guthrie and Fred J. Stark.

Mrs. Hermann Doerges of 2045 Alice avenue gave a delightful card party Tuesday afternoon. The house was decorated with palms and cut flowers. The playing continued until 5 o'clock, after which there was delightful music.

The first prize was won by Mrs. Robert Lamping, second by Miss Minnie Kuehnel, third by Mrs. H. Werle and fourth by Mrs. F. Messmann. Those present were: Mmes. Louis Feldman, Jr., George Betts, C. J. Lapping, C. E. Messmann, F. Messmann, F. Rodemann, H. Werle, Robert Lamping, G. H. Ritchie A. Anderson and Misses D. Anslyn and Minnie Kuehne.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Vander Lippe entertained a few friends at an informal Dutch supper Friday evening. Among their guests were:

Messrs. and Mmes. N. O. Taylor, C. E. Ramlis, H. E. Nuertenbacher, R. Gaertner, E. Brown, E. T. Nuertenbacher; Misses Mary Brown, Margaret Ebert; Mmes. J. R. Smith, B. Brown, C. T. Hodgdon, R. S. Wiggins, B. Bauer; Messrs. Major H. D. O'Brien, Percival Smith, H. Hellman.

Mrs. J. F. Husman of 2155 Fair avenue gave a kaffee-klatch Tuesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. R. Dallmeyer and Miss Pauline Dallmeyer of Jefferson City. Among those present were:

Mmes. Dallmeyer, Lucas, Kalbfell, Graubner, Rauch, Garland, Weaver, Kahn, Ahrens, Schneider; Misses Dallmeyer, Tiemann, Ohnemus, Pange, Husman, Kahn.

Miss Essie Smith entertained the Terpsichorean Club at her home on Washington avenue Tuesday evening. Mr. J. Kirk Wells entertained the guests with several vocal selections during the evening. Among those present were:

Misses Marshall, Pettifoe, Lowell, Howell, Flegel, Smith, Davis, Essie Smith, Mrs. Cole; Messrs. Southerland, Chenet, Hawkens, Shick, Dye, Noxon, Plowman, Lloyd, Herzog, Wells, Ballard, Watjen, Fahy, Berry.

The Palm Bowling Club met Monday evening at the St. Louis Bowling Hall. The members present were: Misses Lulu Armstrong, Annie Hotto, Edna Rascher, Adele Steuver, Eleanor Mensendick, Adele Knocke, Laura Steuve, Lena Distelrath and Messrs. Arthur Schulte, Auguste Steuve, Harry Kassing, Harry Schulte, Will Rascher, Louis Kahlmeier, Louis Maysack and Henry Distelrath.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Gardner entertained a number of friends Thursday evening at their home on Florissant avenue. Those present were: Messrs. and Mmes. James M. Allen, Thomas M. Cockrell, James Fawcett, Charles Rowberry, Charles Schmidt, D. K. Rowray, Charles E. Seenoster, Richard Sherman and Misses Grace Allen, Jennie Rinker, Lottie Rinker and Messrs. D. K. Romray, Albert J. Seenoster and Walter E. Seenoster.

Miss Emma Goedecker gave a reception Thursday in honor of her twenty-first birthday. Miss Goedecker was assisted in receiving her guests by her cousins, Misses Susie and Eleanor Fehl. The guests were:

Misses Rose Loos, Emma L. Fehl, Ella Fehl, Baechler, Katheryne Williams, Anschuetz, Botts, Ida Lindhorst; Messrs. Texier, Edw. Goedecker, Jost, Wm. Lindhorst; Mmes. Lindhorst, H. Goedecker, H. Grasshof.

Miss Carrie Lawson of 1723 Coleman street gave a small supper party Tuesday evening to celebrate her sixteenth birthday. The dining room was prettily decorated with violets and ferns and the parlors with palms and shrubs. Dancing and games were enjoyed. The guests were:

Misses Freda Schumberg, Grace Lewis, Iva Bearden, Blanche Dye, Lutie Mayo, Minnie Stidger, Nettie Smith, Annie Lord, Kitty Gleeson, and Messrs. Adolph Zebig, Harry Mayo, Wallace Diekenga, Charlie Bieger, Harry Lee, Edward Bearden, James Smith, Walter Canaway, Louis Booth, Claude Rock and Edwin Wood.

The Margarrette Euchre Club was entertained Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Edward Rubie of 3128 Caroline street. The prizes were won by Mrs. Henniegar, first; Mrs. Schlesinger, second; Mrs. Graf, third. Among the other guests were:

Mmes. Tuckett, Teteler, Henniegar, Graf, May, Dietrick, Coates, Wetekamp, Brown, Nonakonsky, Fowler, Rubie, Menges, Whitley, Homburg; Messrs Schlesinger, Stewart, Kammann, May, Rubie, Whiteley, Borgelt, Mange.

The dining room table was decorated with apple blossoms and carnations, and each lady received a dainty souvenir adorned with apple blossoms. The next party will be given by Mrs. Zharen, 4290 Pine boulevard.

Miss Nettie Kaufman of 1514 South Broadway entertained the Clover Leaf Left Hand Club Wednesday afternoon. The first prize was won by Miss Annie Kaufman, the second by Miss Julia De Vries. The guests were:

Misses Gertie Jacobs, Stella Jacques, Annie Kaufman, Julia de Vries, Nettie Kaufman; Messrs. A. J. Alberts, Pohey, A. Ertel, Richard Rickter, Eddie Tanzer, Charlie Aufrichtig.

The marriage of Miss Mabel Lavinia Green, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Green, to Mr. Walter Duke Thompson, will take place Wednesday evening, April 17, at 7 o'clock, in the Central Presbyterian Church on Garrison and Lucas avenues. After the ceremony, to which several hundred friends have been invited, there will be a large reception at the Green residence, 3719 Washington boulevard. Mr. Thompson and his bride will be at home on the first and third Mondays in May, at 3719 Washington boulevard, where they will stop temporarily upon returning from their wedding journey.

Another interesting wedding for April 17 is that of Miss Mary Louise McCreery, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayman McCreery, to Mr. Oscar H. Vieths of this city. The ceremony will be very quietly performed, as the bride's family is in mourning, at the McCreery residence, 3841 Westminster place, at 5 o'clock in the afternoon. Afterward there will be a small reception for relatives and intimate friends.

The wedding of Miss Susan Blanche Teasdale, daughter of Mr. William Cary Teasdale, to Mr. David Sharp Ralston, will take place Monday of this week at 8 o'clock in the evening, at the Third Baptist Church. Rev. Rufus Johnson will officiate.

The church is to be elaborately decorated for the event, with quantities of Easter lilies, palms and plants. The color scheme is to be green and white and hundreds of plants and blossoms will be employed in trimming both the church and the Teasdale residence, 4115 Lindell boulevard, where a reception will be held after the ceremony.

The bridal party will include Miss Ada B. Teasdale as maid of honor; Misses Harriette Teasdale, Myra Skinner and Helen Teasdale a sbridemaids; Mr. Arthur Corbitt as best man and Messrs. Horace Rumsey, Allen Caldwell, Dwight Tredway, Wm. C. Teasdale and Rohrman Teasdale, groomsmen; and Masters Kenneth and Warren Teasdale as pages.

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SOCIETY.

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skirt is made with a long court train and the corsage is low, with a berthe of point duchess lace and half sleeves of satin slashed over undersleeves of shirred mousseline de soie. The skirt is also slashed to show af rilled petticoat of embroidered mousseline and lace.

The maid of honor will wear a graceful gown of white crepe de chine, embroidered in pearls and gold threads. The skirt is made demitrain and the corsage is low with a great chou of white chiffon on the left side.

The bridemaids will be gowned alike in pale green crepe di chine, trimmed in cream-colored Venetian lace and shirred mousseline. The skirts are finished with deep-pleated and ruched flounces and the bodices are high, with long sleeves. They will all carry bouquets of pink roses, while the maid of honor will have white roses and maiden-hair fern.

The two pages will wear picturesque little directoire suits of white velvet, with deep collars and cuffs of point lace. They will walk just in front of the bride and will scatter pink and white rose petals in her path.

After the reception Mr. Ralston and his bride will depart for the West. They will visit several of the points of interest in California and will then go to Portland, Ore., to reside. They will be at home after May 15, at the Portland Hotel.

Mrs. William Cary Teasdale gave a handsome dinner party last night to the Ralston-Teasdale bridal party. The affair took place in one of the private dining rooms of the Mercantile Club, and in honor of the event the table was beautifully decorated with ascension lilies and American beauties.

An Easter tea will be given Friday afternoon, April 12, from 2 to 5 o'clock by the ladies of the Maple Avenue M. E. Church at 5819 Cates avenue. The receiving party will include Mrs. William Paige Stewart, Mrs. Harry Wagoner, Mrs. James Nugent and Mrs. Howard Watson, and these ladies will be assisted informally by Mrs. A. M. Billingsly, Mrs. McFerrin, Mrs. Warner and Mrs. Pratt. The ices and bonbons will be served by Mrs. Davenport, Mrs. Fear, Mrs. Hawley, Mrs. Wright and a bevy of young girls. The tea will be poured by Miss Ethel Niederlander and Miss Mabel Degge, while the souvenirs will be distributed by Mrs. Keebaugh and Mrs. Holze.

The feature of the last meeting of the Morning Etude on Wednesday, April 3, was a piano recital by Miss Maria Nacio, assisted by Mrs. Elmer E. Frohman, Miss Lulu Kunkel and Miss Eleanor Stark.

The program was as follows:

Sonata in E minor, op. 7.............. E. Grieg
(a) Allegro moderato, (b) Andante molto,
(c) Alla menuetto, (d) Molto allegro.
Miss Nacio.
(a) Romance .... Svendsen
(b) Adagio .... Ries
Miss Kunkel.
(a) Prelude, op. 41 .... E. R. Kroeger
(b) Nachstuck, op. 23, No. 24...... R. Schumann
(c) Scherzo, in E flat minor .... G. Karganoff
Miss Nacio.
The Loreley .... Liszt
Mrs. Frohman.
(a) Etude in F major, op. 25, No. 3...... F. Chopin
(b) Romance in B minor .... C. Saint-Saens
(c) Fantasie Polonaise, op. 26...... E. R. Kroeger
Miss Nacio.

A delightful social diversion last week was the musicale given Wednesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. George H. Robinson of 5217 Delmar boulevard to the bowling club of which they are members. The program included numbers by the High School Mandolin Club, and also by Miss Blanche Page, Mr. Leo Widney, Mr. Will Ross, Mr. John Walters, Mr. George Bluthardt, Mr. Goldman, Mr. Carey and Mr. Witte.

A dainty supper was served at 11 o'clock. A few of the guests of the evening were Messrs. and Mesdames Charles C. Sprague, H. D. Block, Henry C. Oyler, J. Will Bremser, H. C. Hutsing, M. R. Ross, Misses Blanche Page, Margaret Luney and Messrs. John Walters, C. Carey and George Bluthardt.

Mrs. C. J. Malecek, assisted by Mrs. William Verborg and Miss Guth, gave a large children's party Saturday afternoon to celebrate the birthday of her little daughter Florence. The young people were amused with games and dancing until 5 o'clock, when the small guests were invited to partake of a feast of all the good things that children love. In the center of the table was a great apergne of fruit and flowers and at each end was a huge Jack Horner pie. From the center of each pie streamed gay-colored ribbons, ending in small brass rings. The children were told to pull the ribbons and as they did so the pie opened and disclosed a mass of dainty Easter souvenirs—one for each guest.

Among those present were:

Misses Irene Fisher, Ruth Grey, Edith Verborg, Maude Gildehaus, Eleanor Stockton, Edna Dienst, Dorothy Donovan, Alice Henssler, Amelia Leftwich, Susie Leftwich, Anna Reismeyer, Bessie Bond, Louise Dyer, Gertrude Lanpel, Adela Weightman, Margary Bond, Buradnetta Nanley, May Lewis, Hulda Truth, May Muhfelder, Florence Riley, Katherine Paker and Elsie Henssler.

One of the prettiest home weddings of the season took place last Tuesday evening at the residence of Mrs. Hannah Tod, 4258 Delmar boulevard, the contracting parties being Miss May Susan Tod and Mr. Edward Woods of O'Fallon, Mo.

Rev. William Court of the Cabanne Methodist Episcopal Church officiated. The young people left on the midnight special for Chicago, whence they go to Fairview, Io. They will return April 23 to make their home at O'Fallon, Mo.

Miss May Leighton of 5041 McPherson avenue gave a jolly little April fool party Monday afternoon to a few friends. Prizes were given to those who appeared in the quaintest costumes, the palm being carried off by Miss Martha Todd. A few of the guests were:

Mrs. Frankel, Misses Martha Todd, May Leighton, Eloise Skeele, Hattie Lindsay, Nell March, Edna Leighton, Bess Hulbert, Charlotte Todd, Helen Leighton, Etta Wohlman and Mame Jeffrey.

Miss C. E. Lester entertained her musical club Friday evening at her home on Finney avenue. Among the members present were Misses L. Slattery, E. Hammond, C. E. Lester and Messrs. Aurshambault, W. Hoyt, G. Hesel and Mr. and Mrs. F. Carter.

Mrs. Gus Becker gave a reception Monday evening from 8 to 11 o'clock at her home, 2326 North Market street. Mrs. Becker was assisted in receiving by Miss Sophie Bergman and Miss Dodie Ewen. The guests present were:

Mmes. Mathias Ewen, Edward Ratz, Fred Bergman, W. Evers, Frank Strassheim, Butler, Belthazar, Wagner, Dening; Misses Sophy eBrgman, Edna Sachleben, Dodie Ewen, Tillie Bergman, Ida Ewen, Hilda Sachleben.

The Carnations, a club of young ladies who, during the season, have entertained a limited number of friends with dancing parties, will on Tuesday, April 9, hold its final meeting. The members are:

Misses Helen Zahn, Mayme Downey, Lee Brinkman, Margaret Grady, Ursye Murdock, Agnes Garley.

Gossip.

Mrs. Tracy Drake has returned to her home in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bishop have moved to 5669 Cabanne avenue.

Miss Dodie Carter of the South Side is visiting relatives in Texas.

Mrs. Theodore Shelton is entertaining Mrs. Offield of Sedalia, Mo.

Mrs. F. W. Oliver and Miss Oliver left last week for New York City.

The next dance of the Hyacinth Club will take place Friday, April 12.

Easter cards at 5c to $10.00. Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Johnson left last week for a short visit to Chicago.

Mrs. Thomas Rockwood is entertaining Mrs. Eben K. Silby of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Duncan are having a delightful visit to California.

Mr. and Mrs. William L. Greene, Jr., sailed yesterday from New York for Europe.

Mrs. Clarence Brenizer will give a euchre Thursday afternoon, April 11, at Cabanne Club.

Miss Mary O'Brien, formerly with Scruggs, Vandervoort & Barney, will be found in room 303, Mermod & Jaccard building.

Miss Celeste Albers of Finney avenue is entertaining Miss Jean Carter of Aberdeen, Miss.

Miss Gregory will return soon from a visit to her sister, Mrs. John Lindsay of New York.

The Carnation Club will give its last dance of the season Tuesday evening, April 9.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Garrison left last week for New York, where they will spend Easter.

Mrs. Firman Desloge of Hotel Beers, has returned from a visit to friends in New Orleans.

Dr. and Mrs. J. T. M. Johnston have returned from a two weeks' stay in San Antonio, Tex.

Miss Julia Kelley of Henrietta street left Thursday to spend Easter with friends in Chicago.

Mrs. Charles T. Clark of Westminster place has returned from a visit to Carlinville, Ill.

Silver-Plated Meat Platters and Vegetable Dishes, Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust.

Mrs. J. S. Foote of Omaha, Neb., is at Hotel Beers, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Holbrook.

Mrs. L. H. Cramer and daughters have moved to St. Louis and are located at 4318 Laclede avenue.

Mrs. M. F. Scanlan and Miss Marie Scanlan are in New York, stopping at the Earlington Hotel.

Miss Myra Skinner gave a luncheon Friday to Miss Susan Blanche Teasdale and her bridemaids.

Miss Mamie McLaughlin of the South Side has gone to Hot Springs for the benefit of her health.

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Mrs. A. Thomas of 2814 Victor street was given a surprise party Thursday by a number of friends.

Mrs. W. T. Adair of Hotel Beers has returned from New Orleans, where she visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Bates and daughter have returned to Ohio, after a visit to St. Louis friends.

The P. E. O. Club met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Birney Dycart of 4620 West Belle terrace.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bevis have returned to Hotel Beers, after spending several weeks in California.

Mrs. Nat Wetzel of 1556 Mississippi avenue leaves Tuesday for Houston, Tex., to remain three months.

Miss Leonora Jackson, the noted violinist of Carlinville, Ill., is at Hotel Beers, the guest of friends.

Mrs. Edward L. Burdick has returned from a pleasant visit to Mrs. J. Warren Wick of Ironton, Mo.

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Mrs. R. T. Lewis of Duluth is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Litchfield of 3847 Washington boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Van Dam and two children have gone to New York to visit Mrs. Norman Rybitzki.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Farrar will depart tomorrow for Kansas City to attend the Carton-Hurt wedding.

A fresh importation of Kayser-Zinn opened tomorrow in Mermod & Jaccard's China Salesrooms, Broadway and Locust.

The German Ladies' Society will give a progressive euchre party at Neumeyer's Hall Saturday, April 13.

A party of 25 young people from Highland, Ill., attended the opera yesterday afternoon to hear "Aida."

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kupferle will return this week after spending a month at the different resorts of Florida.

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Mrs. Mary Papin, Mrs. Louise A. Hunt and Miss Fannie Booth have returned from a month's stay in Hot Springs.

Mrs. Sidney Murdock of California avenue gave a birthday party to her daughter, Mabel, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Walz will give a euchre at Buehler's Hall, Taylor and Easton avenues, Wednesday afternoon, April 10, at 2:30 o'clock.

The East India Artroom, just opened, at Mermod & Jaccard's, is the most unique attraction in the city. Don't miss it.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Ryan and family have given up their house on Arco avenue and are domiciled at 5133 Minerva avenue.

The Tally-Ho Club announces that its Easter dancing party will take place Tuesday evening, April 9, 1901, at the Pickwick Hall.

Mrs. J. W. Williamson of 5600 Cates avenue is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Nash of Louisville, Ky., who will remain for several weeks.

Miss Selma Altheimer has returned from Smith College to spend the Easter holidays with her father, Mr. Ben Altheimer of Hotel Beers.

Dr. and Mrs. Campbell and Miss Campbell are at Hotel Beers for a few days. They are en route to Philadelphia from California.

The last dance of the Sin Clair Informal will be held next Wednesday evening, April 10, at West End Hall, Finney and Vandeventer avenues.

Mr. and Mrs. John Carton will leave this week for Kansas City to attend the wedding of their son, J. Benoist Carton and Miss Julia Fay Hurt.

Miss Frances H. Young has announced her engagement to Mr. William Allen of Woodford County, Ky. The wedding will take place in May.

Miss Josephine Rea, who is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Minnis of Von Versen avenue, will return Thursday to her home in Carrollton, Mo.

The public opening receptions of the rebuilt Strauss studio will occur Thursday, Friday and Saturday (11th, 12th and 13th) afternoon and evening.

Misses Olive Boesche, Beatrice Daniels, Olga Monson, Julia Wachter, Lottie Pleitsch, Anna C. Gilchrist, Clara Monson, M. Edith Daniels, Mai McNichol, Josephine Nelson.

Mme. Allman, 3829 Windsor place, gave a delightful musicale at her residence, complimentary to Mme. Kimball, who has just recovered from a long illness.

The engagement is announced of Miss Eleanor Weeks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. Brewster Weeks of Kirkwood, to Mr. Horace Ghiselin of Webster Groves.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Chicky entertained the euchre club of which they are members Wednesday evening. Prizes were won by Mrs. Peters, Mrs. Chicky, Mr. Morehead and Mr. Patterson.

Miss Jessamine Humphrey sailed yesterday with a party of friends for Europe.

Mrs. A. J. Mackay, Jr., has returned home to Hotel Beers, after a short visit with friends in New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wohlgemuth announce the engagement of their daughter, Emma, to Mr. Louis Erlich. At home Sunday afternoon and evening, April 14 and 21 at 4033 Castleman avenue. No cards.

Mrs. Wells H. Blodgett has returned from a month's stay in San Antonio, Tex.

Mrs. Theodore H. Temple of Washington boulevard gave a luncheon Wednesday afternoon. Covers were laid for 12.

The John A. Logan W. R. C. will give a euchre Thursday, April 11, at 2 o'clock at the Burlington building, 810 Olive street.

Mrs. J. P. Langton and her mother, Mrs. Chapman, have returned from Los Angeles, Cal.

The Merryland Club will give their Easter dance at the Louisiana Hall (Old Pastime) on Friday evening, April 12. A competent committee has the arrangements in hand for the comfort and enjoyment of the guests of the evening. The committee is composed of the following ladies.

Mrs. C. Gerne, assisted by her charming daughters, Misses Annie and Alwine Gerne, entertained a number of her friends at a musicale at her elegant residence in North St. Louis Thursday evening. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Schueler, Miss Rose Sindelar, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Angelrodt, Mr. Harry Robyn and others.

Chart Club Drawing Rooms will be held Tuesday, April 9, at 11 a. m., by Mrs. J. B. M. Kehlor of 6 Vandeventer place; Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. H. M. Whelpley of 2342 Albion place; Wednesday, April 10, at 11 a. m., by Mrs. Robert V. Maguire, at Cabanne Club; Thursday, April 11, at 3 p. m., by Mrs. Sarah E. Hoke of 3816 Castleman avenue, and Saturday, April 13, at 11 a. m., by Mrs. Maria I. Johnston at Berlin Hotel.

Wednesday Club.

The Wednesday Club made a unique departure from its usual program, giving an hour of musical thought, which was specially enjoyed by the members. The afternoon was arranged by the special program committee, Mrs. Edward Taussig, chairman, and the musical program in charge of Mrs. Robert Atkinson.

After a happy and appropriate introduction by the president the first number was given by Mrs. Hessenbruch, our brilliant pianist—"Rondo Chromatique," by Barrekow, and "Valse Espagnole," by Rubinstein.

Mrs. Ives showed fine dramatic power in rendering the cantillation, "In the Round Tower at Jhansi," and the tragic character of the composition was interpreted admirably.

The artists who so kindly gave their services for Nevin's "Song Cycle" were fully appreciated, and thanks are due from the club for the spirit of co-operation, making the afternoon such a success.

CAPTIVE MEMORIES.
(In Arcady.)
A Song Cycle .... Ethelbert Nevin
Artists—Miss Adah Black, Miss Grace Walser, Miss Ida Horstmann, Mr. William Harrison Jones, Mr. Burt P. McKinnie.

The poetics division of the art section of the Wednesday Club met, April 2. The subject for the afternoon was "Tone, Color and Poetic Suggestion." Miss Susan Williams had the essay and in place of the usual special reports there was a general discussion of the subject by the members of the section.

On Thursday morning, April 4, the current topics section spent a most enjoyable and profitable time in the reading and discussion of a paper by Mrs. W. S. Curtis, entitled: "Public Opinion."

At the previous meeting of the section, it being the annual business meeting, Mrs. John Greene was elected chairman, with Mrs. Sylvester Annan as secretary.

A special program committee of five members was elected to assist the chairman, and various other committees were elected and appointed by the chair.

In the absence of the regular chairman, Mrs. W. W. Boyd presided.

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  And greet the dewy spring;
Swell out, ye buds, and o'er the earth
  Your sweetest fragrance fling.

Why dost thou sleep, sweet violet?
  The earth has need of thee;
Wake up and catch the melody
  That sounds from sea to sea.

Ye stars, that dwell in noonday skies
  Shine on, though all unseen;
The great White Throne lies just beyond,
  And ye have caught its sheen.

Ring out, ye bells, sweet Easter bells,
  And ring the glory in;
Ring out the sorrow, born of earth;
  Ring out the stains of sin.

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From the New York Sun.

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ONLY A FEW ANNEXATIONISTS ON THE ISLAND.

James L. Slayden of Texas, Who Talked With the Natives, Tells a Convincing Story of the Sentiment.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—Of all the members of Congress who have been in Cuba since adjournment Representative James L. Slayden of San Antonio, Tex., is the only one who speaks Spanish fluently. Mr. Slayden has just returned after a fifteen days' stay in the island. He got his impressions of conditions there at first hand, from the natives and not from the American officers as did most of the other congressional visitors. Mr. Slayden said to the Post-Dispatch today:

"I do not believe that 10 per cent of the Cubans cheerfully accept the Platt amendment which requires that certain semi-suzerainty rights be granted the United States. When I was in Havana quite three-fourths of the delegates to the constitutional convention were for its rejection.

"If it shall be accepted, it will be done, as one distinguished gentleman said to me, in the same spirit and circumstances very similar to those in which the citizen yields his purse to the robber who has him covered with a pistol.

"The Cubans do not desire annexation. Of course there are exceptions. The man who has a plantation to sell and hopes to find a buyer in the United States want it.

"Sugar planters want it because it will mean the free introduction of their sugars to the markets of the United States. Others think it would mean full statehood at once. Without these advantages to inspire them, even this class of annexationists would disappear.

"If annexation is ever brought about, the cane growers of Florida, Louisiana and Texas and the sugar beet growers of the North and West will surely have to grow other crops.

"The Cubans, as a rule, want absolute independence. But I was impressed with the idea that they do not expect it. They know and they say that they cannot successfully resist the government of the United States, and they believe that the dominant party has decided to retain control of the Island of Cuba at all hazards."

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PRISONER'S BRAVERY

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Nicholas Fox May Be Freed After Serving Out Nine Years of His Term in Nebraska Penitentiary.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LINCOLN, Neb., April 1.—Within a few days a petition will be presented to Gov. Dietrich asking him to pardon Nicholas Fox, a convict in the state penitentiary under a life sentence for murder.

The appeal for clemency is based on the bravery displayed by Fox and the assistance he rendered at the fire which destroyed the prison a short time ago.

Fox, who lived at Omaha, in a fit of drunken rage and delirium murdered his wife and then tried to commit suicide.

That was nine years ago. Fox has always maintained that he has no recollection of the murder of his wife or the attempt to take his own life.

Since entering the penitentiary Fox has been a model prisoner. Every warden, guard and prison officer has testified to his industry and bravery. He has had opportunities to escape, but never took advantage of them, and for years has been a "trusty," roaming over the grounds at will during his leisure hours and frequently going outside the stockade unaccompanied.

In three fires which have occurred at the penitentiary since he entered he has distinguished himself, that recently being the most notable.

While the firemen from the city department were endeavoring to save the east tier of cellhouses, and did finally succeed, Fox went with them, leading to the most dangerous places and assisted with much skill.

To reach a point of vantage it was necessary to climb an eight-foot ladder and throw a rope over one of the stones on the wall at the top and climb up the rope. It was dangerous work, and the firemen themselves hesitated, but the convict led the way.

Three firemen—Metcalf, Fitzgerald and Thompson—followed him.

It was a critical moment, for the roof was burning out from underneath and it was impossible to tell at what moment it would break through where the men were standing. At one time this did happen where Fox was working. He changed his position slightly, and though the flames were almost brushing him and the sparks were falling all around he kept on fighting until the cellhouse was saved. Lieut. Thompson asked him afterward why he did not improve his opportunity to escape. Fox replied by saying he did not want his liberty until he could go out a free man.

Fox has two children, babies when he committed his crime. They are living with his widowed mother, who supports them as best she can.

Ministers of Lincoln have interested themselves in the case and are joining in the effort to secure pardon. The Rev. H. O. Rowland, pastor of the First Baptist Church, made Fox's bravery the subject of a sermon, declaring that his release would be a matter of justice.

Fox is nearly 40. He has a good face and is of manly bearing.

The Boer War.

The latest news from South Africa indicates a speedy and peaceful termination of the conflict that has been raging for the past two years. War is a terrible thing and has slain thousands, but stomach troubles, we believe, have slain even more. When the stomach is out of order the entire system suffers and disease takes an easy hold. To insure health and long life keep the stomach in good condition by the use of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. The next time you are troubled with dyspepsia, indigestion, biliousness, constipation or any other disorder of the stomach do not fail to give it a trial. It will cure these ailments and prevent malaria, fever and ague. Insist on having the genuine with our Private Revenue Stamp over the neck of the bottle.

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Good Brussels Carpets, worth 60c, This Week	45c
Excellent Brussels Carpet, worth 85c, cut to	65c
Elegant Velvet Carpet, worth $1.25, cut to	90c
Stylish Axminster Carpet, worth $1.35, cut to	$1.00
Beautiful Moquette Carpet, worth $1.15, cut to	95c
Good-wearing Ingrain Carpet, worth 35c, cut to	22c
Heavy Ingrain Carpet, worth 50c, cut to	35c
Extra Super Ingrain Carpet, worth 65c, cut to	50c

MATTINGS.

Good Japanese Mattings, worth 20c, cut to	12c
Heavy Chinese Mattings, worth 30c, cut to	18c
320 yards Cotton Chain Mattings, worth 35c, cut to	25c

RUGS.

9x12 Ingrain Rugs, worth $6.00, cut to	$4.25
9x12 Brussels Rugs, worth $15.00, cut to	$10.75
9x12 Axminster Rugs, worth $25.00, cut to	$18.50
9x12 Smyrna Rugs, worth $30.00, cut to	$22.50

CURTAINS.

Nottingham Curtains, 3½ yards long, worth $1.50, cut to	$1.00
Irish Point Curtains, worth $4.00, cut to	$2.75
Tapestry Curtains, worth $3.75, cut to	$2.50

OIL CLOTHS AND LINOLEUMS.

Good-wearing Oilcloth, worth 30c, cut to	20c
Very Heavy Oilcloth, worth 40c, cut to	30c
Good quality Linoleum, worth 60c, cut to	45c

Onyx-top Tables, like cut, handsome designs, an ornament to any parlor, worth $6.00; This Week,

$2.25

SIDEBOARDS, Solid oak, like cut, worth $12.50—this week **$7.98**

SIDEBOARDS, Solid oak, nicely carved, worth $17.50, this week **$12.75**

SIDEBOARDS, With Pattern French Plate Mirrors, worth $25, this week **$18.00**

China Closets Mirror top, bent glass ends, like cut, this week **$14.75**

China Closets Solid oak, bent glass ends, worth $16, this week **$12.50**

China Closets Elaborate designs, worth $30, this week **$22.50**

Five-Piece Parlor Suits, like cut, silk damask covering, worth $22.50, this week **$16.50**

Three-Piece Parlor Suits, nice frames, silk damask covering, worth $16.50, this week **$10.50**

CHIFFONIERS. Solid oak, mirror top, worth $9.50, this week **$6.75**

CHIFFONIERS. Solid oak, without mirror, worth $6.50, this week **$3.98**

CHIFFONIERS. Beautiful designs, worth $18, this week **$14.50**

Folding Beds. Upright, like cut, golden finish, this week **$18.50**

Folding Beds. Upright, solid oak, well made, worth $27.00, this week **$22.50**

Folding Beds. Upright, finely finished, worth $40, this week **$30.00**

Hat Racks, Solid Oak, like cut, worth $6.00—This Week, **$3.48**

Hat Racks, with Box Seat, worth $9.50--This Week, **$6.75**

Hat Racks, with Pattern French Plate Mirrors, worth $17.00—This Week, **$12.50**

MAY, STERN & CO

Wardrobes, Double Door, like cut, worth $6.50—This Week, **$4.25**

Wardrobes, Solid Oak, well made, worth $9.00—This Week, **$6.75**

Wardrobes, Solid Oak, large size, worth $14.00—This Week, **$10.50**

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HIGH OFFICIAL IS ON TRIAL.

Former Attorney-General Maynard Arraigned at Lansing, Mich.

LANSING, Mich., April 2.—Former Attorney-General Fred A. Maynard was placed on trial today on an indictment by the grandjury for certifying to payrolls for greater amounts than due the persons named thereon. The entire day was devoted to arguments as to the validity of the indictment, the defense maintaining that it is fatally defective in that it is framed under an act applying only to disbursing officers of the state in which category the attorney-general is not included. The consensus of opinion is that the court will so decide tomorrow.

Attorneys for all the Michigan railroads discussed the subject of equal taxation before the joint legislative committees on railroads today. All expressed a preference for present system of specific taxation as being the simplest and best in every way, but argued in favor of giving the state assessors power to equalize valuations in fixing assessment and the tax rate in case the ad valorem system is adopted as seems likely.

Advertisement Writer Wanted.

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PROPELS BICYCLE BY STEAM.

Boston Inventor Claims to Have Solved Important Problem.

NEW YORK, April 6.—There has been built in this city by a Boston inventor a steam vehicle which may solve the problem of successfully handling steam as a motor vehicle power. The inventor exhibits a two-horse power engine which is attached to an ordinary bicycle, and is now at work attaching a larger motor of considerably more horse power to a heavy racing carriage for the pan-American $5000 motor contest. The motor upon the bicycle weighs only 15 pounds and is two-horse power. It is a three-cylinder single-acting engine of the brotherhood type.

Y. M. I. Euchre.—The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. I. will give a euchre Saturday afternoon, April 13, at the club house, 3648 Page boulevard.

"A Blessing to all Women"

Great joy and comfort comes into every household when the virtue of ***"Mother's Friend"*** is known. No more gloomy forebodings or nervousness by expectant mothers, as all pain is prevented by the external use of "Mother's Friend," the marvelous liniment. There is nothing like it.

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UNCLE SAM A BOGY MAN.

Fear of American Competition Puts Europe in a Panic.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.

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LONDON, April 6.—Fear of American competition has grown to the dimensions of a perfect obsession with European countries. Every day some fresh development of American enterprise threatening English industry, are described in the British press, and a similar state of panic prevails abroad.

The Times' Vienna correspondent writes that it has been suggested that an International Defense League be formed to protect Europe from being pauperized by the inflow of American manufactures. This defense league is to take the form of protectionist tariffs discriminating against American products. Count Gomchowski's speech in 1897, advocating counteracting measures by European peoples in the coming economic war with trans-oceanic countries, has been raked up as indicating the true policy to protect Europe's commercial future.

Hop and Social.—The Unity Dramatic Club will give a hop and ice cream social at 911 North Vandeventer avenue, April 10, at 8 o'clock.

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SUNDAY WANT DIRECTORY

GREAT SPRING OPENING SALE TAKES PLACE TOMORROW

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We hope to see you—and your friends—and their friends—and their friends' friends—for this is going to be *The Event of the Year!*

CHIFFONIERS AND DRESSERS

We place on sale tomorrow a line of fine Chiffoniers and Dressers. Following prices will give some idea of the great values offered in this sale:

Regular $60.00 Dressers for	$37.50
Regular $45.00 Dressers for	$25.75
Regular $25.00 Dressers for	$15.98
Regular $15.00 Dressers for	$8.10
Regular $30.00 Chiffoniers for	$16.95
Regular $12.00 Chiffoniers for	$7.50
Regular $8.00 Chiffoniers for	$4.85

IRON BEDS

An Enameled Bed, with trimmings	$1.48
Enameled Beds, 1¼-inch posts, brass trimmings	$2.75
Extra heavy and beautiful Brass Enameled Beds	$6.50

FOLDING BEDS

Regular $35.00 Beds for	$19.50
Regular $30.00 Beds for	$17.25
Regular $24.00 Beds for	$15.85
Regular $20.00 Beds for	$11.50
Regular $16.00 Beds for	$8.95

BOOK CASES

Regular $10.00 Book Cases	$5.80
Regular $18.00 Book Cases	$10.98
Regular $24.00 Book Cases	$13.75
Regular $50.00 Book Cases	$29.85

BEDDING

Live Goose Feather Pillows, 7 pounds, pair	$4.20
Splendid Feather Pillows, 7 pounds, pair	$2.85
Extra Cotton Top Mattresses	$1.98
Extra All-Hair Mattresses	$11.85

BEDROOM SUITS

Regular $80.00 Mahogany Suits for	$52.50
Regular $70.00 Mahogany Suits for	$43.00
Regular $65.00 Mahogany Suits for	$39.75
Regular $90.00 Oak Suits for	$58.50
Regular $75.00 Oak Suits for	$45.00
Regular $50.00 Oak Suits for	$27.50
Regular $40.00 Oak Suits for	$23.75
Regular $30.00 Oak Suits for	$18.50

CARPETS

Our assortment this season is larger and more complete than before. We will place on sale tomorrow, at souvenir opening price, three lots of goods that speak for themselves.

Extra fine Superior Ingrain Carpet, of beautiful design—you have paid 85c for just the same thing—our price tomorrow	42c
Very heavy Brussels, splendid quality, excellent design, regular 90c quality—our price tomorrow	58c
Rich Velvet Carpet, rich effects and exclusive designs, values that sell readily at $1.35—our price tomorrow	92c

GAS AND GASOLINE STOVES

Large and complete line of all the leading makes in Gas and Gasoline Stoves.

2-hole Low Gasoline Stoves	$2.15
3-hole Low Gasoline Stoves	$3.40
2-hole High Gasoline Stoves	$2.98
3-hole High Gasoline Stoves	$3.98

REFRIGERATORS AND ICE BOXES

We are selling agents for the best made Boxes on the market. We will offer during this Opening Sale:

Our Golden Oak Refrigerator, A1 and guaranteed, at	$4.35
The same make, in a Golden Oak Ice Box, at	$2.10

SIDEBOARDS

Regular $60.00 Sideboards for	$44.00
Regular $48.00 Sideboards for	$32.75
Regular $36.00 Sideboards for	$25.50
Regular $30.00 Sideboards for	$19.50
Regular $24.00 Sideboards for	$16.50
Regular $18.00 Sideboards for	$11.75
Regular $15.00 Sideboards for	$8.80

GO-CARTS

To appreciate our fine assortment and low prices you must come and see. We are carrying the very best that are made and at the very lowest of low prices.

ALL-IRON FOLDING BEDS

Regular $20.00 Beds for	$12.50
Regular $30.00 Beds for	$16.50
Regular $40.00 Beds for	$22.00
Regular $50.00 Beds for	$27.50

PARLOR SUITS

Regular $18.00 Sets	$10.49
Regular $22.00 Sets	$12.15
Regular $30.00 Sets	$15.23
Regular $45.00 Sets	$23.78
Regular $60.00 Sets	$29.81

COUCHES

Regular $5.00 Couches	$2.49
Regular $8.00 Couches	$4.20
Regular $12.00 Couches	$6.25
Regular $18.00 Couches	$8.98
Regular $25.00 Couches	$14.00

Every Price Here Named and Every Price Throughout the House is a Souvenir Price for Opening Week

KAISER ALARMS BY TANTRUMS

Suffering From Attacks of Cerebral Excitement.

STRANGE OATH OF FEALTY

Captain of Guard Had to Kneel Before Emperor and Promise to Kill His Own Brother If Master's Safety Required It.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.
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BERLIN, April 6.—The Kaiser's recent speeches show him to be suffering one of his periodic attacks of cerebral excitement. Strong influences have been brought to bear to induce him to go on a yachting trip to Norway until the effects blow over.

Wilhelm looks ill and worn. He is extremely restless, brooding perpetually and startling his entourage by breaking out into wild tirades against his supposed enemies.

It is related that yesterday the Kaiser directed the captain of the guard to kneel before him, holding up the hilt of the sword as a symbol of the cross, and swear that he would slay his own brother to defend the Emperor.

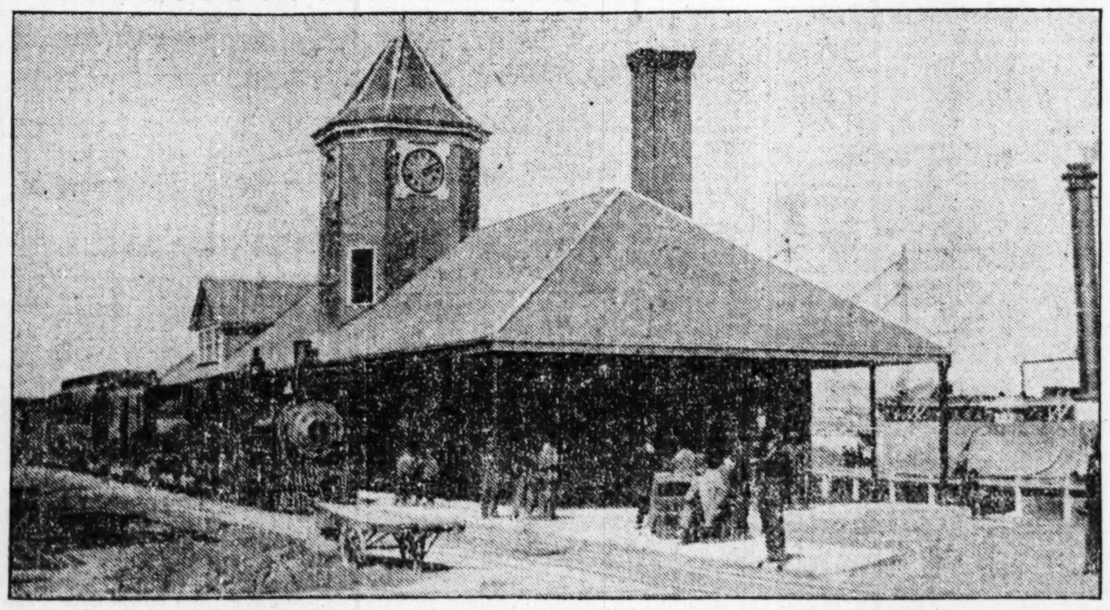
The Kaiser's excitement is traced to the feeling aroused by hostile criticisms of his friendliness for England. He constantly expresses the resolve to make the German people accept his foreign policy.

The Russian disturbances prompted him to send even more exalted dispatches to the Czar than to the Sultan, but the Czar suppressed them.

The Kaiser has just presented two stained glass windows to a blind asylum. One represents the Kaiser as a medieval knight, helmet on head and naked sword in one hand.

A model in the other window presents the Kaiserin as Elizabeth, with miraculous roses in her hand.

THIS IS CAPE GIRARDEAU'S NEW UNION STATION



CAPE GIRARDEAU, Mo., April 6.—The Southern Missouri & Arkansas Railroad Co. occupies its elegant passenger station in Cape Girardeau, Mo., today. The station will be used by that company, the Illinois Central Railroad Co. and Houck's Missouri & Arkansas Railroad Co. as a union station. It is one of the most attractive railway stations in the state, constructed of stone and pressed brick, with slate roof and a handsome tower with a clock facing four ways. Its interior is finished in curly yellow pine. It is 30 feet wide by 140 feet in length, situated at the foot of Broad way and the north end of the wharf, overlooking the Mississippi river, which can be seen from the station for a stretch of 15 miles. It is so situated that the river steamers can land right at the station. It is furnished with toilet rooms laid in mosaic and brilliant with electric lights. It cost $15,000.

DRINKING IN THE SOUTH

NEW YORK, April 6.—Before the beginning of the Civil war and for several years after the distinction of the southern states as those which produced and consumed a larger amount of spirituous liquors than any other group of states in the country was unchallenged. But since the close of the war a complete, palpable and very marked change has come almost imperceptibly over the face of things in the South, and while Kentucky and Maryland continue to produce whisky in very large quantities, as warehouse returns of the United States treasury indicate of the larger part of the product of both states is shipped North; comparatively little is sent South for consumption. In fact, the South is becoming the temperance section of the United States, and of 200,000 retail liquor dealers in the United States having licenses of various sorts, there are only 1000 in Alabama, 750 in Arkansas, 400 in Florida, 1200 in Georgia, 350 in Mississippi, 1200 in North Carolina and 325 in South Carolina, where the dispensary system prevails, and in which there has been a very marked reduction in the sales of liquor during recent years.

Mississippi has had since 1892 a high license law calling for a tax on each saloon of $600 a year, and there are now fewer saloon in that state than in some wards of New York or Brooklyn. Georgia has been since 1891 a high license state, with absolute prohibition in a majority of counties. In Atlanta there is now one liquor saloon only for each 1000 of population, and there is very much less drinking in Georgia than in any New England state, although climatic conditions account, of course, for some part of this. North Carolina has a local license law which permits a majority of the electors in any locality to establish absolute prohibition, and the license rate in West Virginia is $350 for even the smallest tavern.

It s not, however, so much in consequence of laws as of local custom to which these laws are responsive, that extensive drinking has fallen off in so many of the states of the South. There is no longer in that section the large "leisure class" from which, in great measure, the most frequent drinkers were recruited. The problems consequent upon the close of the Civil war made necessary many personal sacrifices by southern men, and the era following reconstruction was not one favorable either to conviviality or dissipation. There are, relatively few large cities in the southern states, and the enormous improvement in railroad connection has had the effect of doing away with the necessity of long journeys by wagon or horseback such as marked the business life of the South during previous generations. Comparatively little liquor is drunk in the South at present, not much more beer, and practically no wine.

POSES WERE TOO MUCH FOR THEM

Girls Refused to Do as Ordered.

REBELLION ON THE STAGE

It Came When the Fair Americans Were Asked to Appear in Various Stages of Undress. Copying After Famous Pictures.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.
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PARIS, April 6.—Artist Bridgman, the painter, and Macmonnies, the sculptor, have got into serious difficulties with a number of handsome American girls here.

The American Art Association decided this year to replace the usual minstrelsy at its annual festival by tableaux vivants representing the pictures of the most famous living artists.

So long as the rehearsals took place in ordinary street dresses everything was lovely and smooth between the artists in charge of the rehearsing and the society girls chosen because of their good figures to personate the nymphs and fairies. But when the girls were requested to pose in the various stages of undress demanded for an accurate reproduction of several of the masterpieces many refused point-blank to appear clad thinly enough.

Other girls sacrificed themselves at one rehearsal, but the order proved too severe for their modesty and they notified Bridgman and Macmonnies they couldn't possibly think of showing themselves thus before the public.

Bridgman pronounced such sentiment foolish prudery. Macmonnies openly ascribed all refusals to play parts already accepted to reluctance to reveal imperfect figures. Both assertions were fiercely resented, hence an unprecedented ugly tempest in a teapot in the American colony.

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Wm. G. Willard, 619 N. Fourth St., St. Louis, Mo.

MISS CAVANAUGH TO MARRY.

Will Become Wife of Dr. Mosby of Nevada Wednesday.

Miss Margaret Cavanaugh of 1379 Granville place and Dr. Charles V. Mosby of Nevada, Mo., will be married Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the Maple Avenue Methodist Church. The ceremony will be pronounced by the pastor, the Rev. Dr Albert M. Billingsley.

A reception will be given at the home of Miss Cavanaugh's parents, on Granville place. Dr. and Mrs. Mosby will make their home in Nevada, Mo.

England Wants More Seamen.

The danger threatened to British shipping by foreign competition is the subject of investigation on the part of the British Chamber of Shipping. At a recent meeting, says a London newspaper, a resolution was passed urging British shipowners to induce every firm to take at least two boys as apprentices in each vessel, to provide suitable accommodation for them apart from the crew, and to give as much care as possible to their training. At present there are not enough British seamen to man the ships, and unless England adopts the training methods of other nations the competition bids fair to rapidly become more strenuous.

FIREMEN GET AN INCREASE.

Lake Shore Road Advanced Their Pay and Averted a Strike.

CHICAGO, April 6.—Firemen over the entire system of the Lake Shore road have been granted a material increase in wages and the action taken by the management has averted what threatened to cause serious trouble. The new schedule, which will go into effect May 1, is as follows: Firemen who have been receiving $2.10 per 100 miles, will be given $2.20 firemen on heavy passenger trains, who have been getting $1.85, will receive $1.95 per 100 miles and firemen on the smaller passengers, who have been receiving $1.85, will get $1.90.

One of the main demands of the firemen was for [illegible] increase in the pay for overtime an[illegible]e company finally agreed to allow 20 [illegible] per hour instead of 18½ cents as for[illegible]. The raise will affect several hundr[illegible]n. In making their demand the firem[illegible] the [illegible]

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AMMUNITION WANTED—To exchange, new graphophone, oil painting outfit, water color paintings, for ammunition or tailoring. Ad. W 34, Post-Dispatch.

BICYCLE WANTED—To exchange, boy's gold watch for lady's bicycle. 531 Trendley av., East St. Louis.

BICYCLE WANTED—To exchange, 100-egg incubator and 100-egg brooder for bicycle. Ad. T 169, Post-Dispatch.

BICYCLE WANTED—A portable forge in exchange for gentleman's bicycle; who's got me? Ad. P 25, Post-Dispatch.

BUGGY, ETC., WANTED—For exchange, carpenter work for buggy, furniture, household necessities, etc. Ad. Y 42, Post-Dispatch.

CARPENTER WORK WANTED—To exchange, a good sewing machine for carpenter work. J. D. Moore, 1042 Vandeventer av.

CARPET WANTED — To exchange, lady's gold watch, value $50, for 50 yards good brussels carpet. Ad. T 166, Post-Dispatch.

CARPET WANTED—To exchange, fine old violin, 35 years old, for carpet; make offer. Box 12, San Jose, Ill.

CARPET WANTED—To exchange, lady's bicycle for 25 yards of carpet. 815 N. Ewing av.

CARPET, ETC., WANTED—Will do first-class dressmaking or sewing for carpet, wardrobe or rocker. Ad. D 31, Post-Dispatch.

CARPETS, ETC., WANTED—$100 Estey organ, new, will exchange for good carpets or furniture. 1721 Carr.

CHICKENS WANTED—To exchange, good bicycle for chickens. Ad. D 32, Post-Dispatch.

COUCH WANTED—Fine old violin to exchange for leather couch, rug or anything of value. Ad. A 26, Post-Dispatch.

COW, ETC., WANTED—To exchange; have handsome mahogany folding bed, with large plate mirror; cost $140; two elegant gilt and crystal gas chandeliers, lady's cloth silk-lined tailor suit, tan cloth ulster and other handsome garments; want good fresh milk cow, gentle family horse; offers. Ad. K 12, Post-Dispatch.

DENTISTRY—What have you to exchange for first-class dentistry? Ad. P 28, Post-Dispatch.

DENTISTRY, ETC., WANTED—To exchange, old line life insurance for dentistry or anything of value. Ad. O 169, Post-Dispatch.

DESK WANTED—For exchange, lady's desk with mirror for roller top desk. Ad. D 28, Post-Dis.

DOG WANTED—Will trade beautiful Spanish-American war book, cost $8, for a good male fox terrier. Ad. B 29, Post-Dispatch.

FOR EXCHANGE—Steam cooker patent territory; a wonderful invention; so simple a child can manage it; no burning, scorching, smoking or drying up of articles cooked; saves half the fuel; one gasoline burner on one stove cap does the cooking for a whole family; it is wanted in every household; what have you to exchange for state territory? cheap for cash; rapid seller; big money for you; choice territory if answered soon; send for descriptive circulars. C. W., box 5173, Effingham, Ill.

FOR EXCHANGE—What have you to exchange for first class dentistry? Ad. N 7, Post-Dis.

FOR EXCHANGE—Tile work, granitoid, brick, cement or carpenter work for anything; call or write. 1017 California av.

FOR EXCHANGE—What have you to exchange for complete paid-up mechanical course? International School. Ad. T 36, Post-Dispatch.

FOR EXCHANGE—What have you to exchange for Arizona mining stock? Ad. M 42, Post-Dis.

FOR EXCHANGE—Good 10x12 3 ft. wall 10 oz. tent. What have you? Ad. D 35, Post-Dis.

FOR EXCHANGE—Storm buggy for rubber tire runabout. 3811 Shenandoah av.

FOR EXCHANGE—Tuition in tailor system, dress cutting; anything. Ad. N 21, Post-Dispatch.

FOR EXCHANGE—Bicycle, high-grade wheel; in good condition; $4 gear; 24-inch frame; $12; a bargain. Ad. P 21, Post-Dispatch.

FOR EXCHANGE—Will trade 7-stone diamond ring for peddler outfit or similar. 2710 Sheridan.

FOR EXCHANGE—What have you to offer in exchange for lessons by an experienced piano teacher? Ad. A 39, Post-Dispatch.

FOR EXCHANGE—Elegant large, strong trunk in good order for oak bookcase or other furniture. Ad. F 40, Post-Dispatch.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

20 Words or Less, 5 Cents.

BAKER—Baker, good on bread and cakes, wants steady position in country town; strictly sober and good refs. E. B., Fredericktown, Mo.; P. O. Box 217.

BAKER—Situation wanted by young baker on bread and cakes. 820 S. 4th st.

BAKER—Sit. wanted by first-class cake baker; can work on bread. 707 S. Broadway.

BARTENDER—Position wanted by young man as bartender; good mixer; will work reasonable. Ad. A 33, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—A young man employed part time would like to have a set of books to post; could devote five hours every day to the work. Ad. G 34, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Position wanted as bookkeeper or office man; speaks and writes German; refs. Ad. H 40, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Sit. wanted by experienced bookkeeper and collector, aged 19; references from former and present employer; reasonable salary. Ad. Y 65, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Sit. wanted by competent bookkeeper and stenographer, with good references; small salary to begin. Ad. F. Kipp, 3150 Iowa.

BOOKKEEPER—Young man, good business education, no practical experience, would like position; refs. given. Box 276, Litchfield, Ill.

BOOKKEEPER—Bookkeeper, stenographer, collector, general office man, wants position; experienced; refs. Ad. R 41, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Young man wants position as bookkeeper; experienced; best references. Ad. R 40, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Sit. wanted by an experienced bookkeeper; proficient in credit and cashier work; refs. Ad. H 31, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Experienced bookkeeper would like a small set of books to write up evenings or Sundays; best of references. Ad. M 30, P.-D.

BOY—Boy wants work; can care for horses; good gardener; good driver; can furnish the best country refs. Ad. B 41, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Boy of 16 would like a sit. of any kind; strong, honest; best of reference; pretty fair education. Ad. B 21, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Situation wanted by boy of 18 in some wholesale clothing house; has ref. H 29, P.-D.

BOY—Situation wanted by boy of 16 in some office; insurance or broker's office preferred. Ad. K 26, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Situation wanted by colored boy to do work of any kind; good ref. 2602 Mills st.

BOY—Situation wanted by boy, 15, in office or store; willing to work. Ad. Y 36, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Bright boy, age 14 years, would like to learn the cigar or printing trade. Ad. G 49, Post-D.

BOY—A bright, intelligent boy of 15 desires position in office; $4 week. Ad. T 42, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—First-class colored house and dining room boy, age 19; situation in private family. Ad. P 45, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Situation by boy of 17, work of any kind. Ad. F. Wald, 3922 North Market st.

BOY—Boy, 15 years, wishes to learn a [illegible] trade. Chas. Stutz, 3349 Wisconsin av.

CHEMIST—Position wanted by chemist [illegible] years' experience. Ad. L 17, Post-Dispatch.

FOR EXCHANGE.

One Cent a Word.

FOR EXCHANGE—What have you to exchange for first-class dentistry; any offer considered. Ad. C 28, Post-Dispatch.

FOR EXCHANGE—Wilson heater and wood for large easy chair, rocker or books. Ad. A 46, P.-D.

FOR EXCHANGE—Small real diamond ring, value $30, for upright folding bed with mirror or combination bookcase and desk. Ad. A 44, Post-Dis.

FOR EXCHANGE—What have you for first-class life insurance. Ad. Y 169, Post-Dispatch.

FOR EXCHANGE—Lady's gold turquoise ring for furniture or wearing apparel. Ad. D 48, P.-D.

FOR EXCHANGE—Music box playing 6 airs for gasoline stove or furniture. Ad. D 46, Post-Dis.

FOR EXCHANGE—I have a 3¼x3¼ Eastman kodak; what have you? Ad. L 30, Post-Dispatch.

FOR EXCHANGE—Pawn ticket on diamond ring and earrings for furniture or clothing. Ad. M 40, Post-Dispatch.

FOR EXCHANGE—Have fine old violin; what have you? Ad. D 49, Post-Dispatch.

FOR EXCHANGE—Bicycle, guitar, "People's" typewriter, set boxing gloves and uniform cap, for anything useful. Riley, 7816 Reilly av.

FOR EXCHANGE—Or will sell; parties wishing to purchase piano; $20 due bill on large piano house. Ad. O 49, Post-Dispatch.

FOR EXCHANGE—What have you to exchange for goat, harness and cart. 4160 Juniata st.

FOR EXCHANGE—What have you to exchange for first-class plumbing, sewering or gas fitting? Ad. K 45, Post-Dispatch.

BUGGY WANTED—For exchange, Domestic sewing machine for second-hand buggy harness. 2636 Cherokee st.

FOR EXCHANGE—Large French glass globe or shade, 24 inches high, 16½ inches wide and 8½ feet deep; what have you? Ad. F 43, P.-D.

FOR EXCHANGE—Donkey, harness and mandolin; will exchange for good bicycle; low frame. 2831 Norwood av.

FOR EXCHANGE—Wagon, cut-under spring, and double harness, for what have you? 3742 Evans.

FOR EXCHANGE—Have apple parer, corer, slicer, sheep shearer, old buggy and harness; what have you? Ad. Y 46, Post-Dispatch.

FOR EXCHANGE—Will do plastering in exchange for horse and wagon. 4523 Easton av.

FOR EXCHANGE—City property for farm and suburban residence. Bakewell, 5054 Minerva av.

FOR EXCHANGE—Merchant tailoring for bicycle, Colt's rifle, or what have you? Ad. M 133, P.-D.

FOR EXCHANGE—Dentistry for upholstering, dressmaking, or what have you? Ad. O 133, P.-D.

FOR EXCHANGE—100-egg incubator for electric motor. 4310 Morgan st.

FOR EXCHANGE—Will exchange my business college scholarship for paper hanging, painting, tailoring, dressmaking, furniture, valuable articles or services. Ad. E 48, Post-Dispatch.

FOR EXCHANGE—Printing offered for painting, laundering, paper hanging, tailoring, shoemaking, various services. Ad. E 50, Post-Dispatch.

FOR EXCHANGE—Printing offered for furniture, letter press, clothing, merchandise, groceries, dry goods, useful articles. Office, 312A N. 12th st.

FURNITURE WANTED—Furniture or household necessities wanted for granitoid or brickwork. Ad. Y 15, Post-Dispatch.

FURNITURE WANTED—Oak wardrobe, rocker or a carpet; will exchange dressmaking. Ad. P 131, Post-Dispatch.

FURNITURE WANTED—Any old rubbish furniture in exchange for fine upholstering or box couch made to order; furniture covers made to resemble large Turkish chairs. Scherer Co., 812 Bremen av.

FURNITURE WANTED—Baby buggy, worth $12; exchange for furniture of like value. Ad. M 34, Post-Dispatch.

FURNITURE WANTED—Will exchange due bill for $20 on new piano for sideboard or sewing machine. Box 197, Collinsville, Ill.

GARDEN HOSE WANTED—Exchange dentistry for garden hose. Ad. F 32, Post-Dispatch.

GAS FIXTURES, ETC., WANTED—To exchange, guitar, mandolin, 8-tune music box, $25; want gas fixtures, flower stand or doctor book. 3516½ Texas av.

HARNESS WANTED—To exchange, good buggy for trap harness. Ball, 2200 Locust st.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

20 Words or Less, 5 Cents.

CARPENTER—First-class carpenter wants position with some real estate firm or owner; can draw plans or take charge of general repair work. Ad. E 28, Post-Dispatch.

CARPENTER—Active, reliable carpenter wishes engagements; good mechanic; will work reasonable; call for carpenter, 2128 Clark av.

CARPENTER—A good allround carpenter wants work of any kind; refs. given. M. McKenna, 612 S. Main st.

CARPENTER—Sit. wanted by nonunion carpenter, aged 26; good mechanic; will take contract; call or ad. Eschenfield, 4235 Lucky st.

CLERK—Sit. wanted by experienced grocery clerk; no objection to leaving city. Ad. N 39, P.-D.

CLERK—Clerk and salesman; experienced young man of 22, hard worker, wants position. Ad. D 33, Post-Dispatch.

CLERK—Clerk and salesman, man of 25 years' experience, wants position; wholesale or retail. Ad. D 34, Post-Dispatch.

CLERK—Position as clerk in grocery store, by reliable man; best of references given; will work reasonable. Ad. T 49, Post-Dispatch.

CLERK—Situation wanted by young man as office clerk or in wholesale house; A1 reference. B. H., 2611 Pine st.

COACHMAN—Situation wanted as coachman by experienced man; careful driver; city ref. Ad. B 170, Post-Dispatch.

COACHMAN—Sit. wanted as coachman, by German; thoroughly experienced in care of horses, carriages, lawn, etc.; careful driver; first-class refs. Ad. G 28, Post-Dispatch.

COACHMAN—Situation as coachman; can give good references. Lee Parsons, 1403 N. 11th st.

WATCHMAN—Situation wanted by experienced night watchman; position of trust; best of reference. Ad. A. K., 2553 Benton st.

COACHMAN—Young man wishes situation as coachman, care of horses, vehicles and lawn; careful driver; reference. Ad. T 23, Post-Dis.

COACHMAN—Sit. wanted by experienced coachman; understands care of horses, cow, lawn and flowers; city reference. Ad. H 23, Post-Dis.

COLLECTOR—Position wanted as collector; can furnish good reference and security. Ad. L 29, Post-Dispatch.

COLLECTOR—Accounts to collect, rents of property owners, or monthly accounts by an experienced collector; best of services; references; the best of bond if desired. Ad. L 18, Post-Dispatch.

COLLECTOR—Situation wanted by boy of 18 as collector; has reference and security. H 30, P.-D.

COLLECTOR—Situation wanted as collector; eight years' experience; no bad habits; reference and bond; moderate salary. Ad. E 32, Post-Dispatch.

COOK—Situation wanted in hotel, club or restaurant by chef cook, with experience; no objections to leaving city. 3327 Lucas av.

COOKS—Situations wanted by man and wife; very fine cooks; good managers; hotel or club. Ad. F 33, Post-Dispatch.

CUTTER—First-class cutter wishes situation with merchant tailor; 1st-class references. Ad. M 45, Post-Dispatch.

CUTTER—Wishes situation to assist merchant tailor in cutting room; understands using block patterns. Ad. M 48, Post-Dispatch.

FOR EXCHANGE.

One Cent a Word.

GAS FIXTURES WANTED—For exchange life insurance in one of the best companies for first-class gas fixtures. Ad. A 170, Post-Dispatch.

GO-CART WANTED—For exchange, Waltham watch or gramophone, 26 records, for go-cart or baby buggy. Ad. Y 181, Post-Dispatch.

GO-CART WANTED—To exchange, new smyrna rug, 36x72, for go-cart in good condition. Ad. 3723 S. Broadway; downstairs.

HARNESS WANTED—For exchange, light double harness, good condition, for heavy double harness. 1521 Cass av., second floor.

HORSE, ETC., WANTED—Will exchange paper hanging and painting for horse or wagon. 2565 Benton st.

HORSE WANTED—In exchange for Andrews folding bed. 4207A Easton av.

HORSE WANTED—Will exchange church or parlor organ for horse. 2716 Gravois av.

HORSE WANTED—Have you a good, sound, quick-moving horse to exchange for first-class house painting and paper hanging? If so, ad. R 28, Post-Dispatch.

HORSE AND SPRING WAGON WANTED—In exchange, $85 Regal music box. 6305 S. 8th st.

HORSE AND BUGGY WANTED—Experienced physician will exchange services in part payment for horse and buggy. Ad. F 170, Post-Dispatch.

HORSE WANTED—To exchange, wagons for good work horse. Ad. T 27, Post-Dispatch.

HORSE WANTED—To exchange, almost new typewriter for horse or buggy Ad. T 32, Post-Dis.

HORSE WANTED—For exchange, stylish little runabout, nearly new, for horse; call Monday after 6 p. m. 4317A N. 11th st.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS WANTED—To exchange, $20,000 worth of gold and silver mining stock in Colorado for household or other goods. Ad. N 36, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSES WANTED—For houses or land, valuable small patent; fortune if placed on the market. Ad. E 21, Post-Dispatch.

JEWELRY WANTED—Will exchange furnished flat for some jewelry; what have you got to swap? Ad. O 42, Post-Dispatch.

KODAK WANTED—For exchange, elegant mandolin; value $15; want kodak or carpet. Ad. M 21, Post-Dispatch.

LAPROBE WANTED—To exchange, handsome, adjustable child's seat, suitable for runabout or any other one-seated vehicle; will exchange for tan broadcloth laprobe. Ad. E 38, Post-Dispatch.

MOTOR WANTED—Exchange 1 Edison 10-inch battery fan for small motor or anything. Ad. N 35, Post-Dispatch.

MUSIC—For exchange, lot of good violin and guitar music. What have you got? Ad. H 26, Post-Dis.

NEWSPAPER OUTFIT WANTED—To exchange, stock of drugs; want newspaper job outfit worth $1200. Lock Box 51, Madison, Ill.

PARROTT WANTED—A good talking parrot for a fine rosewood guitar. Ad. Y 23, Post-Dispatch.

PICTURE MACHINE—For exchange, spiral moving picture machine for best offers. 4230 Page av.

PRESS WANTED—To exchange, job press, 16x22; want small cylinder press. Tri-City Leader, Madison, Ill.

PRINTING PRESS WANTED—To exchange, pigeons for small printing press. 1510 Wagoner pl.

RIFLE WANTED—For exchange, model 1897 Winchester shotgun; practically new; for Savage or any other high-power rifle. R. C. Barton, lock box 54, Papillion, Neb.

RING WANTED—For exchange, first-class vocal lessons for diamond ring or jewelry. Ad. Y 25, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—In exchange for lessons by competent lady piano teacher. Ad. A 38, P.-D.

ROOMING HOUSE WANTED—Will exchange first-class restaurant outfit for rooming house. Ad. H, 21, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM WANTED—Practical lessons, bookkeeping, shorthand, private or class, offered for room. Ad. H 47, Post-Dispatch.

RUG WANTED—For exchange, Kimball cabinet organ for full sized rug, carpet or folding bed. Ad. F 29, Post-Dispatch.

SHOTGUN WANTED—Will exchange set Americanized Encyclopedia Brittanica, 14 vol., 1900 edition, published at $40, for 16-gauge shotgun or graphophone and records. P. H. Felker, 1017 Lucas av.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

20 Words or Less, 5 Cents.

COOK—Wants position; German; meat and pastry. Ad. L 24, Post-Dispatch.

DOCTOR—Doctor who is a competent druggist wants position as druggist in country town, with privilege of practicing. Ad. F 167, Post-Dis.

DRAFTSMAN—Position wanted as assistant draftsman by machinist and student of mechanical drafting. L. B. Painter, 1718 N. Grand.

DRIVER—Young married man wants position as driver for express or delivery wagon. Ad. O 33, Post-Dispatch.

DRIVER—Situation by experienced driver; sober and industrious young man; or coal teamster. 1019 Brooklyn st.

DRIVER—Position wanted by man of 25 to drive delivery or janitor; work and board with employer; ref. Ad. K 49, Post-Dispatch.

DRIVER—Young man, 22, wants work as driver; experienced in shipping. Ad. F. L., 1006 N. Jefferson.

DRIVER—Position wanted by young man as driver of light wagon; well acquainted. Ad. A 32, P.-D.

DRUG CLERK—Situation by drug clerk; registered. C. M. B., 2118 Locust st.

DRUG CLERK—Sit. wanted by drug clerk; 10 years' experience; willing worker; moderate salary. Ad. A 31, Post-Dispatch.

DRUG CLERK—Junior drug clerk of 18, of neat appearance, speaks German, wants position at once; best of refs. Ad. G 41, Post-Dispatch.

DRUG CLERK—Sit. wanted by drug clerk; relief work evenings; best refs.; 11 years' experience. Ad. C 133, Post-Dispatch.

DRUG CLERK—Situation by a competent registered drug clerk; best references. Ad. G 169, Post-Dispatch.

ENGINEER—Sit. wanted by first-class engineer; a good mechanic; understands electric machinery, and does his own repairing; have city license and the best of reference; city or country. Ad. E 41, Post-Dispatch.

ENGINEER—Position wanted by first-class licensed engineer; will work for reasonable wages. Ad. N 33, Post-Dispatch.

ENGINEER—Sit. wanted by engineer; has city and marine license and is now employed and wants to change; understands electricity; best of refs. Ad. O 39, Post-Dispatch.

FIREMAN—Position wanted as fireman; can run engine. Ad. J. R. H., 3900 Kennerly av.

FIREMAN—Situation by No. 1 fireman; expert steam fitter; thoroughly understands steam pumps; best of references. Ad. L 45, Post-Dis.

GARDENER—Situation by a gardener on private place; knows how to take care of horses and cows. Ad. L 42, Post-Dispatch.

HOTEL KEEPER—Sit. wanted by experienced hotel keeper; good manager; will leave city; best references. Ad. L 170, Post-Dispatch.

HOTEL CLERK—Position wanted by experienced hotel clerk; can give best reference. Ad. D 37, Post-Dispatch.

HOTEL CLERK—An experienced hotel clerk wants place in medium hotel or rooming house; reference and bond if required. Ad. Will Ellis, Laclede Hotel, Murphysboro, Ill.

GARDENER—Situation by expert life-experienced gardener and florist; married; best references; expert rose grower. Ad. T 45, Post-Dispatch.

FOR EXCHANGE.

One Cent a Word.

RUNABOUT WANTED—To exchange, good sewing machine for runabout. J. D. Moore, 1042 Vandeventer av.

SAXOPHONE WANTED—Will exchange patent right, worth $100, for good saxophone. Ad. L 27, Post-Dispatch.

RUNABOUT WANTED—Exchange Eldridge combination tandem bicycle. Ad. E 20, Post-Dis.

SAY, Mr. Kodaker! If you want a better kodak or camera, bring down what you have and let's swap; all makes, all sizes, the lowest prices in St. Louis; we can also save you money on supplies. Forrest High, 209 N. 7th st., Holland bldg.

SEWING WANTED—In exchange, piano lessons or shorthand given. Ad. B 40, Post-Dispatch.

SHOTGUN WANTED—To exchange, new gent's bicycle for Winchester repeating shotgun or tailoring. Ad. W 33, Post-Dispatch.

SHOWCASE, ETC., WANTED—To exchange, sewing machine, storm buggy, couch, for showcase, store fixtures. Wm. Baier, 820 Julia st.

STORM BUGGY WANTED—In exchange, Edison phonograph, large horn, complete, 48 records; cost $75. Ad. A 45, Post-Dispatch.

STOVE WANTED—To exchange, cook stove for small gasoline stove. Ad. E. L., 2701 Eugenia.

STOVE WANTED—For exchange, parlor stand lamp for laundry stove. Ad. W 26, Post-Dis.

SUIT CASE—Wanted, to trade electric belt, best make, never been used, for suit case; must be a good one. Ad. M 23, Post-Dispatch.

TABLE WANTED—Will exchange fine guitar, rosewood case, for nice dining table, room rug or book case. Ad. T 24, Post-Dispatch.

TAILORING WANTED—To exchange, artistic and thorough piano instructions, by gentleman, for tailoring. Ad. B 166, Post-Dispatch.

TAILORING WANTED—Tailoring wanted in exchange for mirror. Ad. G 25, Post-Dispatch.

TAILORING, ETC., WANTED—Have handsomely furnished room; will rent in exchange for tailoring, musical instruments or diamond. Ad. H 42, Post-Dispatch.

TO EXCHANGE—Phonograph with 40 records; cost $60; what have you? 4626 Cook av.; call evenings.

TO EXCHANGE—What have you to exchange for gravel roofing? Ad. T 28, Post-Dispatch.

TO EXCHANGE—Will take anything of value in exchange for repairing your furniture and mattresses; send postal. 4135 Hull pl.

TO EXCHANGE—What have you to exchange for the agency and state right of Kentucky for the best invention on the market? A fortune in it; investigate. Ad. C 17, Post-Dispatch.

TOOLS WANTED—To exchange, fine hound pup, Mason stock, for carpenter tools. For particulars ad. H. Schmahlenberg, 5135 Patterson av.

TRUNK WANTED—To exchange, fox terrier, 9 months old, for a good sample trunk. Exchange, P. O. Box 544.

TRUNK WANTED—To exchange, lady's Crawford bicycle for large trunk or something. Ad. F 44, Post-Dispatch.

TYPEWRITER—To exchange, bicycle, cost $35, good as new, for typewriter; Oliver preferred. 1223 S. Compton av.

TYPEWRITER WANTED—To exchange, lady's bicycle for good typewriter. Ad. T 26, Post-Dis.

TYPEWRITER WANTED—State make and price; will exchange first-class printing. Ad. E 44, P.-D.

TYPEWRITERS—I will trade even two No. 6 Remingtons, good as new, for a good second hand visible writing Underwood typewriter. Ad. T 29, Post-Dispatch.

WAGON WANTED—Will exchange, a new cook stove, Buck's No. 8, used 1 month, for open express wagon, 9-foot body. Ad. L 37, Post-Dis.

WALLPAPERING WANTED—Will exchange gas fixtures. 2817 Dalton av.

WALL PAPERING WANTED—To exchange, feed for wall papering and cleaning. Ad. C 14, P.-D.

WRITING AND COPYING WANTED—Will give music lessons in exchange for work, writing and copying. Ad. C 169, Post-Dispatch.

AQUAPURA FILTERS

to exchange for merchandise of equal value. Phones—Bell, Main 2426M; Kinloch, A1002. 116 Union Market, Morgan street side.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

20 Words or Less, 5 Cents.

FOREMAN—Position wanted as foreman on grading work of any kind. Call rear 3836 Easton.

HOUSEMAN—Good, honest, sober man wants position working around the house or to attend horse or cow; good ref. 1411 Warren.

HOUSEMAN—Situation wanted by sober, middle-aged German, care of horses, cow and milking; work of any kind. Ad. Y 49, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEMAN—Sit. wanted as houseman, with room and board for self and wife. 2821 Olive st.

JANITOR—Sit. wanted as janitor or houseman; just out of employment; want work; competent man. Ad. Y 30, Post-Dispatch.

MACHINIST—Good machinist wants position in factory, to take care and repair machinery; can run engine. Ad. D 38, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Young man with one year's experience wants position clerking in hotel; best refs. Ad. H. B. Call Box 13, Hickman, Ky.

MAN—Young man, 20 years old, desires position as bill clerk or collector; can furnish best references. Ad. W 22, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by young married man, to work on the farm or work same on shares. Ad. D 39, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by an experienced, reliable German; take care of horses, general work around house; good gardener. Ad. E 30, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Reliable, sober German, 48, wants sit. to tend horses, cows, furnace, lawn; careful driver; good refs. Ad. Y 39, Post-Dispatch.

MAN AND WIFE—Man and wife wants position private family; suburbs preferred. Ad. Y 170, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Middle-aged man, married, desires position in private family to care for horses, yard, garden, etc.; sober and industrious. Ad. C 44, Post-Dis.

MAN—Situation wanted by an old man to take care of horses and buggy and make himself generally useful; speaks German and English fluently. 1020 N. 13th st.

MAN—Middle-aged man, married, desires position with doctor to care for horses, vehicles, yard, etc.; strictly sober. Ad. C 45, Post-Dispatch.

MAN AND WIFE—Situation wanted by man and wife; wife for housework and man good stock man, milking, etc.; either country or city. 5036 Morganford rd.

MAN—Employment wanted as general help or porter in store or otherwise, by intelligent German-American; moderate salary. K 40, P.-D.

MAN—A young man; good drawer, wishes to learn the lithograph or engraving business; has some experience. F. Loeffler, 1419 Monroe st.

MAN—Situation by reliable young man to take care of horses and drive, and can work in grocery store. 3430 Olive st.

MAN—Situation by a German who understands the care of horses and cows. Ad. L 44, Post-Dis.

MAN—Position as houseman, janitor, or any kind of work paying wages; good reliable man; steady; sober. Ad. P 44, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Position in wholesale house or office by young man, 18 years; expert writer and figurer. Ad. W 44, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by married man; good education; work of any kind; give good references. Ad. E 166, Post-Dispatch.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

20 Words or Less, 5 Cents.

MAN—Situation wanted by educated young man in office or clerical work; ref. Ad. B 34, P.-D.

MAN—Middle-aged man wants situation in private place; care of horses, cows, lawn, garden; best references. Ad. R 44, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Young man desires a position in some race-track stable; age 22; height 5 feet, 1 inch. Ad. D 42, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Young man of 19 would like position; give refs. from last employer. Ad. 718 N. Compton av.

MAN—Young man wants sit.; driver; has experience and knows city. Call or ad. F. S., 1006 N. Jefferson av.

MAN—Young man of 18, of neat appearance, wants position as clerk; best of experience; speaks German; high class refs. Ad. G 40, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by young man as delivery wagon driver; refs. Ad. D 24, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by man of 19, in wholesale or railroad office; one year's experience; understands groceries; city refs.; good penman. Ad. C 31, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—An industrious young man wishes position where there is chance for advancement; experienced at firing. Ad. E 35, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—An industrious young man wishes position at firing boiler or assisting engineer; have some experience. Ad. E 31, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Energetic young man, almost 20, is very desirous to do collecting; best of refs.; bond; will work reasonable. Ad. 3911 Lincoln av.

MAN—A sober, reliable, middle-aged Swede wishes to take care of horses, drive or work around place; refs. Ad. A 41, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Middle-aged, sober, honest German wants sit.; understands all garden work, attend horses, cows, lawn; careful. Ad. T 34, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Young man handy with tools desires position in private family; understands care of horses, vehicles, yard, garden, etc.; 7 years last place. Ad. A 42, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by a christian man to tend lawn and garden; wages $10 per month; will give satisfaction. Ad. O 170, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by middle-aged colored man to care for horse and work about place; a good milker, garden and stable man; good references. Ad. 2117 Wash st.

MAN—Sit. wanted by German; care of horses, vehicles and yard. Ad. J. Steffen, 1502 Washington.

MAN—Young man desires sit. with real estate dealer to look after houses; good carpenter. Ad. A 43, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Young man, 22, wants steady work; factory or store preferred; honest and sober; A1 references. Ad. N 22, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sober, honest man wants situation in machine shop; small wages to commence with. Ad. T. M., 2206 Locust.

MAN—Young man, 19 years of age, understands bookkeeping and thoroughly experienced in the general store business, desires employment of any kind. Ad. M 12, Post-Dispatch.

MAN AND WIFE—Man and wife want positions in private place; no objection to leaving city; both competent; have best refs. Ad. P 30, Post-Dis.

MAN—Sit. wanted by young man well experienced; would like position as night clerk in hotel; city refs. Ad. K 23, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Position wanted by a good, honest young man of 20; worked at architect and carpenter trade. Ad. B 26, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Young man of 21 would like to have work; has worked at carpenter trade before. Ad. B 23, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Situation wanted; house, lawns, horses, cows; by experienced old man, single, Kentuckian; strong, active, neat appearance, honest, sober, handy, industrious; any kind of steady work; references. Ad. E 22, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Young married man wants sit. of any kind; inside work preferred; best of reference. H. Kleine, 2215 Maiden Lane.

MAN—Young man of good habits wishes work at anything honorable; best of references. Ad. L 22, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Situation wanted with survey party as rodsman or chainman; reference furnished from last employer. Ad. O 4, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Would like to get position with engineer as assistant or fireman, where I can advance myself; have handled machinery and had charge of Babcock and Wilcox boilers for six years, and thoroughly understand pumps; best of reference. Ad. O 38, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by elderly man, very moderate wages, but wish a good home; is sober, honest and willing, handy; or will invest $200 in business on condition; references. Ad. by letter, N. C., 2940 Cass av.

MAN—Sit. wanted by middle-aged white man, handy with tools, painting, janitor or housework; city references. Ad. G 30, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by bright, energetic young man of good address; aged 20; 4 years' business experience; desires employment in wholesale house where there is some opportunity of advancement; can furnish references from present employer. Ad. F 11, Post-Dispatch.

MEAT CUTTER—Situation wanted by a first-class meat cutter. Ad. K 27, Post-Dispatch.

MEAT CUTTER—Sit. wanted by experienced meat cutter; West End preferred. Ad. N 38, P.-D.

NURSE—Sit. wanted as nurse or valet, by young man, to go away for the summer. Ad. P 22, P.-D.

NURSE—Position wanted by middle-aged man caring for invalid; experienced and references. Ad. G 27, Post-Dispatch.

OFFICE MAN—Office man desires position; experienced; salary consideration secondary to prospects; stenographer; single keyboard operator. Ad. E 42, Post-Dispatch.

OFFICE MAN—Young man, experienced in office work, would like situation with some reliable firm. Ad. O 41, Post-Dispatch.

PAINTER—An experienced house painter wants work; by job or day; first-class refs. 4336 Garfield av.

PAINTER—Sit. wanted painting or paper hanging, by young man. 17A S. Compton av.

PAINTER, ETC.—Sit. wanted as painter and paper hanger; by day or job. Ad. F. A. Beyer, 824 S. 6th st.

PHYSICIAN—By physician of unexceptional character and standing, position in medical institute, or as assistant to physician or specialist. Ad. W 42, Post-Dispatch.

PORTER—A young, reliable, industrious colored man would like position as porter in some office or first-class barber shop. Ad. C. Andrews, 2713 Lambdin.

PORTER—Situation wanted as porter or driver in wholesale house; ref. Ad. C 170, Post-Dispatch.

PRINTER—Sit. wanted by printer; 2 years' experience at case, make-ready and feed. Ad. W 17, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—Man, 30 years old, wants position as salesman; indoors; inexperienced; good talker; wages no object. Ad. Y 23, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—Situation wanted by young man as salesman or office assistant; good reference; acquainted with hardware and dry goods. Ad. B 38, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—Salesman; thoroughly experienced in clothing, gents' furnishings and shoes, wants position after April 15; best references; salary moderate. Ad. W. E. Palmer, 508 Walnut st., Murphysboro, Ill.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. wanted by competent male stenographer familiar with railroad, legal, mercantile work. Ad. H 37, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Wanted, position as stenographer, by middle-aged man; no experience; any one who will give me a chance can get a reliable, steady man. Ad. P 31, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Young man with one year's experience, Remington machine, desires sit.; will work reasonable. Ad. A 23, Post-Dispatch.

UNDERTAKER—Young married man desires position as undertaker and embalmer with some St. Louis livery firm; expert trimmer or will take foreman's position. Ad. W 32, Post-Dispatch.

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BAKER WANTED—A good bread and cake baker, at Campbell, Mo. N. Smith.

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ALL CABINET MAKERS, machine hands, finishers to stay away from all cabinet shops; strike on. By order of Woodworkers' Council.

BARBER WANTED—No student; $3.50 guarantee. 3841 Easton av.

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BOY WANTED—Boy about 17 to do stock keeping and make himself useful around shop. Arcade Shirt Mfg. Co., 408 N. 11th st.

BOY WANTED—14-year-old boy to work in mill. 101 Barton st.

BOY WANTED—Strong, willing boy to learn the candy trade. Hartmann, 2632 Franklin av.

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BOYS WANTED—Strong boys. J. C. Fincke, 101 Barton st.

BOY WANTED—Colored boy who can read and write; bring references. 944 Goodfellow av.

BOY WANTED—Boy of some experience, to work in drug store. Apply at Page Av. Pharmacy, 3750 Page.

BOY WANTED—Bright, honest boy, about 17 or 18, to attend bar; must be experienced. Call at 1026 Brooklyn st.

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BOY WANTED—Willing to learn pantsmaking. Apply 1123 Washington av., fourth floor.

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BOY WANTED—Boy in downtown store; wages, $2.50 per week. Ad. P 37, Post-Dispatch.

BOY WANTED—Good boy in doctor's office. 1724 Chouteau av.

BOY WANTED—Strong boy, with some experience; learn horseshoeing. Call 4541 Delmar bl.

BOY WANTED—Boy to work in brush shop. Costello & Son, 1108 Pine st. Apply Monday morning at 7 o'clock.

BOY WANTED—An intelligent boy 14 or 15 years old for light work in office and shop; state wages expected. Ad. P 42, Post-Dispatch.

BOY WANTED—Boy with experience in bakery. 5402 Easton av.

BOY WANTED—To run errands. Apply Richt Pharmacy, Sarah and Suburban.

BOY WANTED—Boy for poolroom and saloon; call Monday. 3200 Park av.

BOYS WANTED—Steady boys, about 16 years old, for factory work. 915 N. 6th st.

BOY WANTED—Boy to care for horse and buggy and work about place. 3630 S. Grand av., city.

BOY WANTED—Boy to milk cow and work around house and yard. 5876 Bartmer av.

BOY WANTED—To learn dry goods business. Ad. F 28, Post-Dispatch.

BOY WANTED—Errand boy. 721 Pine st.; call Sunday morning, between 8 and 11.

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BRICKLAYERS WANTED—Members of No. 1 to attend meeting Thursday evening, April 11, without fail. Joseph L. Kolby, president.

BRICKSETTER WANTED—A good bricksetter; to go to Glen Carbon. Apply room 10, 5th floor, Equitable bldg., 6th and Locust, at once.

BUSINESS NIGHT SCHOOL—$1 week; continues all summer; free trial. 312 N. 12th st.

CABINET MAKERS WANTED—Experienced metallic cabinet makers, familiar with document file, roller shelf and metal case work; steady positions and good pay. Apply P. M. Wege, superintendent, Cold Spring, Putnam Co., New York.

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COATMAKERS WANTED—Custom coatmakers, to work in the house; first-class bushelmen to work in the house. Mills & Averill, Broadway and Pine.

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DRIVER WANTED—Laundry driver for West End trade; good salary for man. Tuxedo Laundry, 3936 Laclede av.

DRIVER WANTED—Driver for furniture delivery wagon. Call 3406 Olive st., 9 a. m., Sunday.

DRUG CLERK WANTED—A registered drug clerk, in Illinois. Ad. 1415 Baugh av., East St. Louis.

DRUG CLERK WANTED—State age and experience. Ad. N 170, Post-Dispatch.

DRUG CLERK WANTED—Competent drug clerk. Rose Hill Pharmacy, 5001 Maple av.

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LABORERS WANTED—10 laborers Monday morning; Compton and Manchester. Davies Con. Co.

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MAN WANTED—To travel; $50 month and expenses; $25 deposit required. 919 Olive; room 2.

MAN WANTED—Clean, sober white man, care invalid; $10 month. 4903 Fountain av.; Suburban car to Euclid.

MAN WANTED—Young man with experience in grocery and meat market. 1012 N. Broadway.

MAN WANTED—Man to take care of horse and work on place; good situation; apply with references, 204 Olive st., 5th floor.

MAN WANTED—No. 1 middle-aged colored man, to work on farm; $10 per month. Ad. P 26, P.-D.

MAN WANTED—An experienced man to care for horse and buggy and lawn, and make himself generally useful around small private home; bums and tramps need not apply; applications must state where formerly employed and wages wanted. Ad. G 23, Post-Dispatch.

MAN WANTED—Traveler to sell grocers' specialties; permanent position to right man. P. O. box 5, St. Louis.

MAN WANTED—A large Chicago corporation who are doing business in every state in the Union are in search of a suitable man who can come well recommended to take charge of their branch offices in St. Louis; must be a hustler and know how to handle employes; salary $1800 per year and percentage; must invest $1000 as security during term of employment. Address I. F. Bailey, 315 Dearborn st., Chicago.

MAN WANTED—An experienced man to take charge of milk wagon; bring best of reference. J. F. Carten, 5575 Easton av.

MAN WANTED—Man to work in city; good pay to good hustler. 2731 Franklin av.

MAN WANTED—Young man who has had some experience in planing mill office, estimating on sash, doors and blinds and glass, and taking off items in general; state former employer and wages expected. Ad. C 25, Post-Dispatch.

MAN WANTED—Young man about place, furnace, scrub, etc. 360 N. Taylor av., cor. Berlin.

MAN WANTED—An industrious young man offered business college course and board for services. Call 312 N. 12th st.

MAN WANTED—Reliable man with reference, with horse and wagon, to deliver two days a week. Apply 117 N. 16th st., 7:30 a. m. Monday.

MAN WANTED—A man who can sell a staple article and handle 100 collections; must give bond and furnish references. Ad. O 32, P.-D.

MAN WANTED—Young man, about 18 years of age, who knows streets of city well, to collect and do other work; need not apply unless you know the city thoroughly; Monday, 7:30. Empire Credit Clothing Co., 417 Washington av.

MAN WANTED—Man to work about my place; must be good milker. George P. Prendergast, 6218 Wagner av.; take Suburban car.

MAN MANTED—Young man for clerical work in factory; wages $40 per month; hours 7 a. m. to 6 p. m.; must be good penman and exceptionally quick and accurate at figures. Ad. R 34, P.-D.

MAN WANTED—Man assist in office, $65 month; $125 cash required. 904 Olive st., room 307.

MAN WANTED—Man to travel, fair salary and expenses; experience unnecessary. 904 Olive st., room 309.

MAN WANTED—Lady or gentleman in city or country to represent reliable medical company; good opening to right party. Ad. P. O. box 912.

MAN WANTED—Sober young man to drive express wagon on shares; state age. Ad. Y 35, Post-Dis.

MAN WANTED—Industrious, sober, strong man for furniture car; single man. 4219 N. 20th st.

MAN WANTED—A man used to fixing shading barrels. 3108 N. 2d st.

MAN WANTED—Young German; driver, in bakery; must understand horses; refs. required. 3150 Easton av.

MAN, ETC., WANTED—Young man, boy or lady taught printing trade free; wages when competent. 312 N. 12th st.

MAN AND WIFE WANTED—Man and wife, for work in suburbs and on farm, during summer; good home. Ad. P 33, Post-Dispatch.

MAN WANTED—Man for drawing press; must be experienced. A. Geisel Mfg. Co., 2d and Clark.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

MAN WANTED—Young man, experienced in woodworking machinery. 1910 Wash st.

MAN WANTED—Young man; good grammarian and penman; experienced in railroad work, for general manager's office. Ad. T 44, Post-Dis.

MAN WANTED—Young man to assist in office of old established office business; man willing to take interest; $500 secures interest paying $1200 yearly; more business than owner can attend to, and need help; experience not necessary, but want good, willing man. Ad. G 44, Post-Dis.

MECHANICS, engineers, electricians, firemen, etc.; a free scholarship in engineering will be awarded to a few well-recommended applicants. American School of Correspondence, Boston, Mass.

MEN WANTED—25 men at 22d and Clark av.; pay $1.75 per day. Ed Keary.

MEN WANTED—50 men to dig trenches for water pipe on Boardway and Meramec st.; 25c per hour. John O'Donnell & Bro.

MEN WANTED—Read Rosedale Supply House offer, agent column; Cuban cream soda, Canadian milk shake, Creole ginger mead.

MEN WANTED—$20 weekly easily earned (position permanent) distributing circulars, samples, tacking signs, bill posting; send 4c for particulars. Commercial Advertising Association, Philadelphia, Pa.

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MEN WANTED—Three wide-awake young men; must be hustlers. Room 403 Holland bldg.

MEN WANTED—10 men to wreck building; 10th and Warren sts., Monday morning. J. Fleland.

MEN WANTED—Men to learn telegraphy for railway positions; continuous school; day $10, night $5. R. R. Telegraph School, 1218 Pine st.

MEN WANTED—50 men and 50 teams, on Washington av., between 11th and 12th; two months' work.

MEN AND TEAMS WANTED—Men and teams, on Maple and Academy; Monday morning. O. McKay.

MEN WANTED—Two men, thoroughly familiar with southwestern coal trade. Ad. G 35, P.-D.

MEN WANTED—50 men, $1.75 per day; 50 teams, 30c per load, and trap ticket making 14 loads; Monday morning. John A. Lynch.

MEN WANTED—Men to invest $200 in manufacturing plant; we work day and night; wages $2.50 per day; investigate. 2113 S. 2d st.

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MEN AND TEAMS WANTED—In Hortense pl., McPherson and King's highway, Monday morning. W. J. Redmond.

MEN WANTED—15 men and 5 teams; on Page and Academy. Wm. Ogle.

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MOLDERS WANTED—Good stove mounter and molders. Ad. Wichita Stove Works, Wichita, Kan.

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OPERATORS WANTED—Operators on consolidated lasting machines. Apply to Bond Shoe Co., 8th and May sts., Kansas City, Mo.

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PAINTERS WANTED—Painters; $2.50 day; 9 hours; one East St. Louis; call Monday, 7 a. m. 5901 Maple av.

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PASTE BOY WANTED—Paste boy. Apply 1916 N. Grand av.

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SHOEMAKERS WANTED—Shoemakers, finishers, heelers, edge and heel trimmers and setters. 3050 Cass av.

SHOEMAKERS WANTED—Chase operators, boys to pull tacks and ink shanks; boys to learn cutting; hand laster on men's fine shoes. Friedman Bros. Shoe Co., 3417 Laclede st.

STAVE BUCKER WANTED—At once, a first-class beer keg stave bucker. Write us at Warren's Store, Mo. Gross & Pruitt.

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STENOGRAPHER WANTED—State age and experience; salary, $45. Ad. K 28, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER WANTED—A young man stenographer. 214 N. Commercial st.

STENOGRAPHER WANTED—Boy with good habits who is familiar with office work. Apply Monday, F. O. Sawyer Paper Co.

STOCK FITTER WANTED—First-class stock fitter; good wages; references required. Ad. G 167, Post-Dispatch.

STOCK CLERK WANTED—Thoroughly experienced in filling orders in saddlery and saddlery hardware. Apply Meyer Bannerman & Co., 616 N. 6th st.

STONEMASONS WANTED—Shenandoah and Lawrence. Menfeld.

STRIPPERS WANTED—Experienced stripper boys in cigar factory. 409-411 Morgan, 2d floor.

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TAILOR WANTED—First-class tailor, to work inside; good pay to right man. 2610 Olive.

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TEAMSTERS WANTED—Five teamsters for clay wagons. Apply rear 3036 Hickory st., 5 o'clock Sunday evening. John A. Lynch.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

TAILOR WANTED—Coatmaker for custom coats; good wages. 1325 Franklin, 3d floor.

TAILOR WANTED—At once, a good allround tailor, Julius Friedrich, Union City, Tenn.

TAILORS WANTED—Experienced ladies' tailors. Call Monday at 409 Mermod & Jaccard bldg.

TEACHERS WANTED—Teachers wanting employment for the summer will find it by addressing Teachers' Fraternal Benefit Union, Kansas City, Mo.

TEAMS WANTED—25 teams at 22d and Clark av.; pay 40c per load for 14 blocks haul. Ed Keary.

TEAMS WANTED—50 teams; Monday morning; 30th and Chestnut. James Corcoran.

TEAMS WANTED—50 teams and men, at 4th and Spruce; boarding house furnished. E. Whelan.

TEAM WANTED—Team wanted to plow a few days, Margaretta and Euclid avs.; call today. Braun.

TEAMSTERS WANTED—10 teamsters Monday morning, opposite St. Charles.

TEAMS WANTED—20 teams for wheelers, and men; Palm and Bacon, Monday morning. W. J. Redmond.

TOUCHER-UP WANTED—First-class toucher-up on ladies' work. 1918 Chestnut st.

TREER WANTED—Mueller-Bayles Shoe Co., 900 S. 22d st.

TRIMMERS WANTED—Carriage, also custom, trimmers to attend open meeting Thursday evening, April 11, Lightstone's Hall.

UMBRELLA MAKER WANTED—40c per hour on cheap repairs; neat, sober, practical; good home; $1 per week. Call any day 5 a. m. to 9 p. m., Wilson's Union Factory, 1010½ N. 6th.

UNION PAINTERS WANTED—To call between hours of 12 and 2 p. m., Sunday, at 4233 Grove st.; must show union card. Otto Zastrow, painter.

VARNISHERS WANTED—Good furniture varnishers. R. E. Lasher Furniture Co., 2722 S. 3d.

WANTED—Industrious men and women in every town to work for us at their homes; no canvassing; we will send work any distance; we have several lines of work to give out, some of which requires no experience; if you can't devote the whole day to our work, you can earn $5 or $6 a week by working an hour or two evenings. Address Standard Mfg. Co., 142 W. 23d st., New York.

WATCHMAN'S BEAT—Private watchman's beat for sale at a bargain; pays $50 per month; on Franklin av.; all good payers. Apply to rear 1904 Franklin av.

WHEEL AND TNOGUE MAKER WANTED—J. F. Luking, 1615 N. 7th st.

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YOUNG MAN—Position wanted by young married man; have had five years' experience in hardware and implement business; am also good tinner. Ad. 1225 Hodiamont av., city.

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14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

PARTNER WANTED—Partner with $100 to conduct business exchange. Inquire Frank Mask's, 1615 Market st.

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PARTNER WANTED—Partner in patent medicine business; single man preferred; one who can take the road, sell and advertise; good chance for man with small capital. Ad. F 12, Post-Dispatch.

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CANVASSERS WANTED—Two lady canvassers, to visit dressmakers and take orders for dress pleating; steady employment to right parties. Monday 8 to 9 o'clock. 3325 Olive st.

CANVASSERS WANTED—Energetic and industrious men for house-to-house canvassing; plenty work and profitable contract. Apply 1903 Washington av.

CANVASSERS WANTED—Two experienced canvassers, who are thoroughly up in cooking and house to house work; salary. Louis Rosen & Co., 813 Spruce st.

FIRST-CLASS man and lady to sell mining stocks; make $10 per day. Room 421 Commercial bldg., 6th and Olive.

SOLICITOR-COLLECTOR WANTED—Must be reliable; state experience. Ad. N 17, Post-Dis.

SOLICITOR WANTED—For circular work; must be acquainted with city. 18 N. 9th st.

SOLICITOR WANTED—A reliable man with some experience; salary and commission to right party; nothing to sell. Ad. F 3, Post-Dispatch.

SOLICITOR WANTED—Solicitor on wall paper. 2906½ Easton av.

SOLICITORS WANTED—Solicitors with push for accident insurance; good commission. Apply 1709A Geyer av.

SOLICITOR WANTED—City solicitor; must be reliable; state experience. Ad. N 17, Post-Dis.

AGENTS WANTED.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

AGENTS—$8 per 100 made collecting names and addresses in your locality; steady work; send 10c for book holding 500 names; full instructions and go to work; also, list of 40 firms who buy names; money refunded if not satisfied. G., American Directory Co., Parkville, Brooklyn, N. Y.

AGENTS WANTED—A new one—household novelty—3 or 4 used in every house; great for mail order business—mails flat under 1c stamp, 125 per cent profit; first in the field make a rich harvest; samples and confidential price, 10c. Ad. Liebig, Jr., & Co., Beaver Dam, Wis.

AGENTS WANTED—To sell soda fountains; $25; worth $200. Ad. Meyers Mfg. Co., Cincinnati, O.

AGENTS WANTED—$25 per day guaranteed in salary or commission, for every day you are in our employ. This statement is not exaggerated. We want a general agent for your territory. Our goods sell at sight to every man, woman or child; in every office, factory and home. A person that can sell anything can make a fortune; every article patented and never before sold in your territory. Exclusive agency granted and free outfit of samples to start right to work sent you on receipt of your application. Write at once as we only want one good man for your territory. Braham Co., B 621, Cincinnati, O.

AGENTS WANTED—In every county to sell studs, rings, pins set with Moissan diamond; splendid profits, only perfect imitation of genuine diamond; terms mailed free. Moissan Diamond Co., Cincinnati, O.

AGENTS WANTED—$100 monthly; new patent metallic bread boards; sample free. K. F. Forshee Co., Cincinnati, O.

AGENTS make $10 to $25 daily taking orders for photograph jewelry and photograph buttons; any picture copied and returned uninjured; satisfaction guaranteed; big money for hustlers; sample set free. Theo F. Mott, 415 Dearborn st., Chicago.

AGENTS—Best book of receipts and schemes ever published; postpaid 10c. C. Tavenner, Lanark, Ill.

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AGENTS—For best sellers on the market write for circulars; my proposition will interest you. C. O. Parsons, 830 Astor st., Milwaukee, Wis.

AGENTS WANTED—Two or three men capable of handling an up-to-date proposition; good money for good men. Call 918 Pine st., room 211.

AGENTS WANTED—10 agents to solicit for St Louis Hospital Association. Call Monday, 3035 Bell av.

AGENTS WANTED in every waterworks town in the U. S. for the Modern filter; latest and most novel design; first ever made to recharge in one minute; one gross fiber cotton filling (a year's supply) free with each; light, neat, handsome; sells as soon as sediment taken from the water is seen on cotton; reserved territory; send for circulars and terms. Modern Filter Co., 243 Franklin st., B 7, Boston, Mass.

AGENTS WANTED—Six good agents; steady men; for city and country; call before 9 a. m. and after 4 p. m. 2300 Chouteau av.

AGENTS WANTED—Agents double their money selling our new aluminum card case and cards; sample case and outfit 25c. Haskell, 618 Pine, St. Louis.

AGENTS WANTED—For a few hours of your leisure time spent among your friends in our interest; no canvassing; we will give you a tailor-made suit or gold watch without a cent of expense to you except 25c to be sent in at once for postage, etc. World's Fair Coupon Co., room 20, 304 N. 8th st.

AGENTS make $6 daily selling the cheapest and most perfect water filter ever invented; retails at $1.50; big profit; exclusive territory. Seneca Filter Co., Seneca, Mo.

AGENTS—Everywhere; either sex; Zarema diamonds; experts puzzled to detect from genuine; liberal commission; catalogue; sample (ring or stud) free on application. Zarema Diamond Co., 113 Adams st., Chicago.

AGENTS—Sell our aluminum card cases and cards; big profits; circulars and samples free. Bunker Ptg. Co., Dept. M, Kansas City, Mo.

AGENTS—Are you busy? Are you making as much money as you care to? If not, work for us; good sellers. Southern Mfg. Co., Little Rock, Ark.

AGENTS—We guarantee $2 to $5 a day introducing our genuine Super-Asbestos wicks; just out; light equal to inc. electricity; last about 8 years. Ad. Fireproof Safety Wick Works, 755 Lake st., Chicago, Ill.

AGENTS WANTED—To handle our patent pipe; only pipe that cools the smoke, neutralizes the nicotine and prevents heartburn; 365 days ahead of everything; special price to agents; send 25c for sample and instructions. Ad. Howe-Semple Co., 1033E. Breckenridge st., Louisville, Ky.

AGENTS WANTED—Be independent; start mail order business in gold-plated watches. We supply you at $14 per dozen. The Wilcox Co., Oak Park, Ill.

WE pay $20 a week and expenses to men with rigs to introduce poultry compound. International Mfg. Co., Parsons, Kan.

AGENTS WANTED—Handle guaranteed mustache and hair grower; a boon to bald heads and hairless lips; sample bottle, 25c. V. Lonergan, Sta. A, Topeka, Kan.

AGENTS WANTED—To sell Magnetic carpet soap, 100 per cent; $15 to $25 per week to ladies and gents; write for terms. J. C. McGregory, 124 N. Franklin st., Decatur, Ill.

AGENTS WANTED—$10 daily handling the greatest invention of the age; does away with matches; millions will be sold; one agent in less than a day realized $84 for his labor; active agents equipped for instant work; send stamp for particulars. Globe Supply Co., San Francisco.

AGENTS WANTED—In every county to sell "Family Memorials;" good profits and steady work. Address Campbell & Co., 341 Plum st., Elgin, Ill.

AGENTS—Send for new booklet; of household necessity; sent free. Dundee Mfg. Co., 10A Park Square, Boston, Mass.

AGENTS WANTED—$5 a day easily made selling our specialties; send 25c for sample; hot takers; particulars for stamp. New Century Co., Dept. B, Quincy, Ill.

AGENTS are making more money with our self-cleaning band rake than any other article; a new invention; sells at sight in city and country; big profits; exclusive rights given; particulars free. American Specialty Mfg. Co., Cantrall, Ill.

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14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

AGENTS WANTED—Columbus stood the egg on end, but here is the egg the great man himself could not lay; when overturned or placed on its side it is bound to rise on end; combined novelty inkstand with rubber bulb and glass funnel; patented; sells on sight; particulars for two cents; a 25-cent article, made of aluminum. Ad. American Novelty Co., 699 to 705 Springfield av., Newark, N. J.

AGENTS, call and secure our new ticket; best seller in St. Louis; rebate on all tickets. Murillo. 1314 Olive st.

AGENTS WANTED—Start in the mail order business, success assured under our direction; particulars and prospectus for stamp. W. B. Irons & Co., 134 Van Buren st., Chicago.

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AGENTS WANTED—Male and female; safeguard for either; patented; never fails; mail sample 25c; inclose 2c for answer. Royal Supply Co., Quincy, Ill.

AGENTS WANTED—Experienced, energetic canvassers; $5 to $15 daily; meritorious, ready seller; every wearer of shoes permanent customer; exclusive territory; write today, enclosing 2c stamp for sample. A. L. Mandarina, Boston, Mass.

AGENTS WANTED—Stock in mail order business at home; no capital required; we furnish everything; illustrated catalogue and circulars for 4c stamp. Hand & Co., St. Louis.

AGENTS WANTED—Ladies to visit cities and health resorts; salary $120; guaranteed; payable weekly; no canvassing; call afternoons only. 1811 Washington av.

AGENTS WANTED—Our recipes, discoveries, secret processes; private formulas, etc., teach you how to start paying business at home; samples and instructions free. Kinkaid & Co., headquarters, Cleveland, O.

AGENTS WANTED—With Hayes' metallic rubber tires for rocking chairs you can make $100 a month. Address J. C. Hayes, 416 E. Locust st., Des Moines, Io.

A.—AGENTS wanted, ladies or gentlemen, for one of the fastest selling articles on the market; required in every office and household; 200 per cent profit; sample 15c; particulars free. Edgar Mfg. Co., Cincinnati, O.

AGENTS—The Theo. Noel Co., Dept. A. C., Chicago, are offering exceptional inducements to honest men and women agents in every county, to sell their celebrated line old established, guaranteed medicines and toilet articles; it will pay every agent who wants good thing, a seller, reseller and satisfier, to write them today; $18 week easily.

AGENTS WANTED—Either sex, to introduce new line of fast selling specialties; exclusive territory; steady employment; liberal commissions; no competition; samples are small and easily carried; write at once for particulars. O. & C. Specialty Co., South Bend, Ind.

AGENTS desiring a new line of novelties, household specialties, etc., write for our 1901 catalogue, just issued, describing over 200 articles. G. I. Wrenn & Co., Ashland, O.

AGENTS WANTED—Be your own boss; why work for others; make $2000 a year; you have the same chance; start a mail order business at your own home; in any town or village; we tell you how; no license required; big mail orders; money coming in daily; immense profits; our long experience is at your service; if you want to begin, write at once for full particulars, free. Angle, Beck & Co., Lincoln, Neb.

AGENTS—Let us start you right. We have a proposition which will make you independent. Fastest selling article ever invented; combines simplicity, durability and economy. Exclusive territory, book and full particulars free. Write quick. Peoples' Supply Co., 24, Kansas City, Mo.

AGENTS WANTED EVERYWHERE—You can carry our article right in your pocket, sell for cash at four houses out of every five, and ladies will thank you for calling; you may think this sounds a little too good, but we send you sworn statements showing just what agents are doing; investigate this. Setlive Bros., Keokuk, Io.

AGENT WANTED—Lady agent; send for terms for selling Mme. McCabe Corsets. St. Louis Corset Co., 19th and Morgan sts., St. Louis, Mo.

AGENTS WANTED—Agents' salary $2 per day; working Uncle Jeff's corn remover and nail trimmer; send for salary contract. Jeff Penninger, Nashville, Tenn.

AGENTS WANTED—Bonanza; buy direct from manufacturer; we make 65 new fast-sellers that sell to everybody at sight; large profits; free samples. Factory, 22 Mechanic st., Newark, N. J.

AGENTS—$12 daily made by agents selling our claim file; used by every merchant and physician; no competition; retails for $5; $3 profit. Write Sayers & Co., D 14, 408 Olive st., St. Louis, Mo.

AGENTS WANTED—Agents coining money; latest novelty; all the rage; papier mache Battenberg lace mats; can be washed; every housekeeper will buy; sample free. Enterprise Mfg. Co., B 15, Cincinnati, O.

AGENTS WANTED—Read Braham's honest straightforward offer in agent's column and write to him.

AGENTS WANTED—"Authors and Publishers," valuable instructions from prominent authors and publishers for story writers; sent postpaid for 50c. Prof. Brown, Gainesville, Ark.

AGENTS WANTED—Don't miss these $3.50 machines; get them free; great sellers. Syracuse Talking Machine Co., Syracuse, N. Y.

AGENTS WANTED—Formulas for making Cuban cream soda (fountain soda without a fountain), Canadian milk shake (milk shake without shaking), Creole ginger mead, delicious summer drinks. With these 3 receipts any one can make big money; cost to make (any flavor) from ½ to 2 cents per glass. 50c each, 3 for $1. Rosedale Supply House, Rosedale, Miss.

AGENTS WANTED—$25 daily guaranteed selling wonderful new "20-in-1" Shirt Bosom; 20 different fronts combined, each full size; stylish patterns; fit any shirt; can't be told from ordinary bosoms; saves laundry bills; sample free. Bryan & Co., C 95, Cincinnati, O.

AGENTS WANTED—$25 weekly selling new patent sewing machine; works equal to $50 machine; retails for $3. Central Supply Co., Cincinnati, O.

AGENTS WANTED—Salesmen for all lines of business (splendid side line) to sell our calendars, 150 different styles, newest, latest patterns, just the things customers want; we pay the largest commissions; many of our men give their entire time to our line and make from $75 to $125 every week; guaranteed best side line ever offered; write promptly with references; commissions paid on acceptance of orders. American Novelty Co., Cincinnati, O.

AGENT, reliable, wanted in every city to sell Ideal Whisky Phosphate to saloons; it's a winner; big money made. Address Kenmyth & Co., Detroit, Mich.

A BIG offer to agents; something entirely new; don't miss it; large rebates. Genelli, 923 Olive.

A NEAT little spring device that makes people walk on hard floors and pavements with greatest ease; just patented. Address Dr. Swan, Beaver Dam, Wis.

ASTROLOGY—Why remain in doubt? Twenty-five cents gives splendid outline coming year. Full horoscope, $1. K. F. WELDON, 300 W. 142d st., New York.

DON'T be hard up; you can make immense profits and be your own boss by making mirrors at home; the work comes to you; men and women learn it quickly; no big money for tools required; success guaranteed; particulars for stamp. Macmasters, D 10, Decatur, Ill.

DON'T accept an agency until you get my samples and particulars. Sayman, St. Louis.

HANDSOME birthstone free; send birthday, 8 questions, 12c; astrological fortune mailed; new professional fortune telling book, 30c, 90 pages, absolutely reliable, positively unequaled. Chira, 366 Fulton st., Brooklyn, N. Y.

INCREASE your salary or income, safely and securely, through a legitimate home enterprise. How and what to do, to do this successfully, without capital, read our new copyrighted publication, "37 Business Opportunities;" 64 pages; prepaid anywhere, $1. D. Sims & Co., Tremont, N. Y.

LADY AGENTS WANTED—To solicit orders at home; no traveling; easy work; big money; send stamp for particulars and illustrated booklet No. 8. Ellis Supporter Co., Syracuse, N. Y.

MEN WANTED—Men, with rigs, to sell our poultry mixture; straight salary; $15 weekly and expenses; year's contract. Ad. with stamp, Monarch Mfg. Co., box 808, Springfield, Ill.

MEN WANTED—Men to sell new store signs. Val. Schreier Sign Works, Milwaukee, Wis.

PORTRAIT agents everywhere, quit "crayons;" try washable enamelines; no glass; don't rub; cheap. Family Portrait Co., Chicago.

R U A BUFFALO? Agents to sell Buffalo buttons; dozen, 50c; 50, $1; 100, $1.50; 500, $6; 1000, $10; samples, 5c. St. Louis Button Co., St. Louis, Mo.

SNAP FOR AGENTS—The Triple Wedding, or Secrets Revealed; over 300 pages; illustrated; biggest selling book out; price 50c; send money order or stamps; sample copy to agents 30c, charges paid. Hadji Pub. Co., 80 Dearborn st., Chicago.

SPLENDID side line for traveling salesmen and agents; Ropp's Calculator; practical handbook for everyday use; sample 15c; particulars free. C. Ropp & Sons, 214 Clark, Chicago.

WANTED—General and local agents; name plates, signs, numbers; readable darkest nights; samples free. Right Supply Co., Englewood, Ill.

WE pay $18 a week and expenses to men with rigs to introduce our Poultry Compound. Javelle Mfg. Co., Dept. 165, Parsons, Kan.

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14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

AGENTS WANTED—Guaranteed pile remedy; sample, 15c stamps. Lonergan, Sta. A, Topeka, Kan.

$61.50 WEEKLY introducing and selling new gaslight burners for kerosene lamps; no chimneys; no smoke; fits any lamp; easily sold; samples free. Burt Mfg. Co., Cincinnati, O.

100 CALLING or business cards, with name and address and beautiful aluminum case; elegant stickpin free with first order each day; 40c. The Educator, St. Louis, Mo.

150 PER CENT profit selling Wonder waterproof shoe polish; shines itself; no brush required; demonstrative samples and all particulars free. Wonder Shoe Polish Co., 52 Dearborn st., Chicago.

$2000 YEAR conducting a mail order business at home; capital unnecessary; inclose stamp for our proposition. Charles Nevitt, Brandenberg, Ky.

Elgin and Waltham Watches that keep time sold on time—easy payments—$2 down—best and cheapest repairing. Main Springs, 50c.
F. H. INGALLS, 1223 Olive St.

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A HANDY little book; every sporting man should have one; sent postpaid, 25c. Dixie Pub. Co., Brownsville, Tenn.

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GRAY HAIR restored, dandruff germs exterminated, stops hair falling. Why pay $1 for something you can make for 10c? Formula for 25c. Chemist, 3836 Page av., St. Louis.

MAIL ORDER BUSINESS—The American Agents' League will start, assist, and protect you; 1500 branches; send stamp for particulars. Nat'l Sec'y, Dept. E 9, Cornwall-on-Hudson, N. Y.

THE MYSTIC ORACLE, complete dreambook and fortune telling book, 10c; 400 manufacturing receipts, 10c. Ad. Smith Bros., Box 676, city.

WANTED—To furnish firms with 1000 names of best families. Ad. M., Columbia, Tenn.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

20 Words or Less, 5 Cents.

CASHIER—Position wanted by widow, 33, as cashier, assist in office work; professional piano teacher; have a fine commercial handwriting. Ad. B 30, Post-Dispatch.

CASHIER—Situation wanted by young lady as cashier in cafe or store; five years' experience; can furnish best refs. Ad. Y 167, Post-Dispatch.

CASHIER—Sit. wanted by young lady well experienced in office work or cashier; city references. Ad. K 31, Post-Dispatch.

COMPANION—Sit. wanted by refined young lady as companion and seamstress. 3220 Pine st.

COMPANION—Refined, capable, young lady would like position as companion and housekeeper for lady in country. Ad. C 37, Post-Dispatch.

COOKS—Sits. wanted by man and wife, camp cooks. Call or ad. Dickens, 310 Convent st.

COOK—Widow, with 4-year-old girl, wants position as cook or housekeeper for adults. Ad. 2601 N. Taylor av.

COOK—Situation wanted as cook in widower's or bachelor's home; wages, $20; reference exchanged. Call Crystal Hotel, corner 13th and Market sts.

COOK—A good cook wants place in private family; no washing or ironing; first-class references. 2520 N. 13th st.

COOK—Situation wanted by experienced German cook in private family; city ref. 3608 Morgan.

COOK—Sit. wanted by good colored girl as cook in private family, without laundry. 2814 N. Elliot av.

COOK—Situation wanted by good cook in private family; willing to assist with washing and ironing; no objection to country. 2116 Franklin av.

COOK—Situation wanted by first-class cook as cook or at work of any kind; can give references. Call or write, 1534 S. 8th st.

COOK—Situation wanted by colored girl as cook or at housework. 2636 Lucas av.

COOK—Sit. wanted by colored cook in boarding house. Jennie Gallin. Call at 317 N. Channing.

COOK—Sit. wanted by middle-aged woman; good cook and general housework in small private family. Ad. O 130, Post-Dispatch.

COOK—Situation wanted by first-class colored cook; good wages; good place. 32 S. Leonard.

COOK—Situation wanted by first-class colored girl as cook or at general housework. 4461 Cozzens.

COOK—Situation wanted to do housework and cooking, without washing and ironing; colored. 711 N. Jefferson.

COOK—Sit. wanted by middle-aged woman, cooking and assist washing and housework; no postals; call upstairs, 2620 Hickory st.

DRESSMAKER—First-class dressmaker; good references, will sew reasonable; skirts and shirtwaists a specialty. Ad. H 3, Post-Dispatch.

DRESSMAKER—Sit. wanted by young lady as dressmaker's helper; good machine hand; will work reasonable. Call or ad. Miss Raphael, 1024 Rutger st.

DRESSMAKER—First-class dressmaker desires few more engagements in families. Ad. N 40, Post-Dispatch.

DRESSMAKER—Situation wanted by dressmaker; experienced; would like a few more engagements at $1.75 a day. 1227A Pendleton av.

DRESSMAKER—Artistic dressmaker wishes a few more engagements in family; tailor or fancy; best of ref. Ad. H 170, Post-Dispatch.

DRESSMAKER—Dressmaker from New York wants sewing at home or go out. 4133 Finney.

DRESSMAKER—Good dressmaker wishes sewing by day or week; reasonable. Ad. A 133, P.-D.

DRESSMAKER—Good dressmaker wants sewing in family; reas. Ad. D 163, Post-Dispatch.

DRESSMAKER—Sit. wanted by first-class dressmaker and seamstress in private family, by the month; references exchanged. Mrs. James, Camp Jackson Station.

FORELADY—Sit. wanted as forelady in shoe fitting room by competent woman of 15 years' experience; men's work preferred. Ad. M 26, P.-D.

HOME HELPER—Young lady, 29, refined, responsible, in suddenly reduced financial circumstances, desires position as companion and home helper; must not be considered a servant, but willing to do anything necessary to be done; must be on a perfect equality with the family; fond of children. Ad. F 21, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSECLEANER—Situation wanted as paint-cleaner or allround housecleaner; best of ref.; would take carpet or odd pieces of furniture in part pay. Ad. Mrs. D., 3309 Franklin.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted as housekeeper by an American widow; good housekeeper and cook; well experienced; no objections to country; best of reference. Ad. A 24, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by girl to assist in housework; Catholic family; 16 years old. Ad. N 169, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEWORK—If your bathtub is not inviting make it so by using aluminum bathtub enamel. Platt & Thornburgh Paint Co., 7th and Franklin av.

HOUSEKEEPERS—If your bathtub is not inviting make it so by using aluminum bathtub enamel. Platt & Thornburgh Paint Co., 7th and Franklin av.

HOUSEGIRL—Situation wanted by colored woman to do general housework. Apply 32 S. Leonard.

HOUSEKEEPER—Widow lady desires position as housekeeper for widow. Ad. K 169, Post-Dis.

HOUSECLEANERS—Situations wanted by two colored woman, to do housecleaning; good paint cleaners. Call 708 N. 16th st.

HOUSECLEANER—Situation wanted to do general housecleaning by the day; experienced white woman. 2210 Clark av.; rear, upstairs.

HOUSECLEANER—Situation wanted by first-class housecleaner; best ref. 4038 Evans av., 1st floor front. Mrs. Williams.

HOUSEGIRL—Situation wanted by colored woman to do general housework. 2111 Randolph st.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted as housekeeper by an American lady, thorough good housekeeper; experienced, capable and reliable; no objection to leaving city; best of references. Ad. A 25, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted by young woman as housekeeper; complete satisfaction guaranteed. Call or ad. Mrs. Underwood, 4208A Evans av.

HOUSEGIRL—Refined, industrious young woman, very capable, wants situation in the country where she will be treated as one of the family; fond of children. Ad. C 36, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEWOMAN—Young colored woman wants general housework in small family; neat and handy. 1625 Gay st.

HOUSEKEEPER—A refined, sensible, middle-aged woman wishes a position as housekeeper; one who thoroughly understands her business. Call or address Mrs. Bell, 1419 Hebert st.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by girl of 15 or 16 to do light housework or nurse. Please call Monday, 318 S. Ewing av.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted by exp. young woman as a housekeeper. Ad. H 181, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted by housekeeper; good manager, 1st-class cook; unincumbered; either country or city; best of references. 1416 Washington.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

20 Words or Less, 5 Cents.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by German girl to do general housework; small family; references. 2824 Dayton st.

HOUSEKEEPER—Situation wanted as housekeeper by competent and reliable country woman in small family; wages $18; references. Call Monday, Mrs. Hanley, 3452 St. Vincent.

HOUSEKEEPER—Situation wanted by working housekeeper; widow; 38; unincumbered; neat and clean; no triflers. 1312 Franklin av., 3d floor.

HOUSEGIRL—Situation wanted by young colored woman at general housework. 2611 Pendleton av.

HOUSE CLEANER—Respectable woman wishes work cleaning house by the day or scrubbing stores or offices or to help janitor in cleaning schools. Mrs. W., 1715 Biddle st.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by colored girl, for housework or plain cooking. 1729 Linden.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by girl as housegirl; no cooking. Call at 6312 Cheltenham av.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted by a middle-aged woman as housekeeper for an elderly gentleman or bachelor. Ad. C 32, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEKEEPER—Refined lady, 34 years of age, unincumbered, will keep house for widower or bachelor. 4332 Easton.

HOUSEGIRL—Situation wanted by girl to do general housework in flat; 2 in family; no washing; state wages. Ad. W 158, Post-Dispatch.

LADY—Sit. wanted by a pleasant and stylish young lady in first-class hotel to take charge of cigar stand; can furnish references. Ad. K 20, P.-D.

LADY—Young lady having some experience would like position as stenographer; refs. Ad. M 27, Post-Dispatch.

LADY—Wanted, position by lady with little girl, to sew, where room, with or without board, will be furnished. Ad. G 150, Post-Dispatch.

LADY—Sit. wanted by young lady to learn to feed cylinder presses. Ad. N 41, Post-Dispatch.

LADY—Wanted, position by young lady who has had experience in shoe factory office and also understands stenography. Ad. F 26, Post-Dispatch.

LADY—Lady would like to have work of any kind at home. Ad. H 16, Post-Dispatch.

LADY—Sit. wanted by young lady in laundry office; experienced; city references. Ad. K 33, Post-Dispatch.

LADY—Sit. wanted by lady of fine appearance in doctor's or dentist's parlor; experienced. Ad. K 35, Post-Dispatch.

LAUNDRESS—Wanted, washing, by first-class laundress, to take home. 2130 Biddle st.

LAUNDRESS—White woman wants washing to bring home. Address in care of 4370 St. Louis.

LAUNDRESS—First-class laundress wants work beginning of week. 3536 Papin st., first floor.

LAUNDRESS—Work wanted by colored girl to wash or clean house by day. 2624 Park av.

LAUNDRESS—Laundress desires work to take home or go out; best of references. Apply 3107 Easton.

LAUNDRESS—Good laundress would like to have 2 days out in week. 2611 Lucas av.

LAUNDRESS—First-class laundress; washing and lace curtains to take home. Mrs. Davidson, 1410 S. 12th st.

LAUNDRESS—Situation wanted by woman laundress for first 4 days in week; steady; best city refs; colored. 103 S. 14th st.

LAUNDRESS—Wanted, washing or house cleaning by day. 2647 Olive st.

LAUNDRESS — Wanted, laundry washing. 3118 Gravois av.

LAUNDRESS—Good German laundress wants laundry from vicinity of Jefferson and Lafayette avs.; first-class family washing only; references given. 1643 S. Jefferson av.

LAUNDRESS—Wanted, laundry work, Mondays and Tuesdays; to go out. Mary Sharp, 108 S. Beaumont st.

LAUNDRESS—First-class colored laundress would do laundry work by day; well experienced; call or write. 1736 N. 12th st., room 5, rear.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted to do washing and ironing for Monday and Tuesday; go out or take home. 2010 Cass av.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by colored laundress to do washing and ironing; to bring home. 2613 Morgan st.

LAUNDRESS—Washing wanted by colored laundress to bring home. 2204½ Wash st.

LAUNDRESS—Colored laundress wants washing to bring home. 2608 Mills st.

LAUNDRESS—Work wanted by colored laundress to go out; also at general housework or housecleaning. L. C., 2317 Franklin av., rear.

LAUNDRESS—With good references wants work 3 days week; out or take washing home. Apply 613 S. Ewing av.

LAUNDRESS—Colored laundress would like work by the day or office work. 1702 N. Taylor av. Mrs. Higgins.

LAUNDRESS—First-class laundress wants washing and lace curtains to take home. 4264A North Market st.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted; washing to take home or go out; gents preferred. 204 Soulard st.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by 1st-class laundress; wishes 3 first days of week; best references. 2740 Stoddard.

LAUNDRESS—Washing wanted by reliable laundress for small family; good yard and cistern water. L Bown, 4316 St. Ferdinand.

LAUNDRESS—Washing and ironing wanted for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday to take home or go out. 32 S. Leonard.

LAUNDRESS—First-class colored laundress wants situation. 2625 Pine.

LAUNDRESS—Situation wanted by laundress 4 days of week or take washing home; good refs.; answer by postal. Florence B., 4455A Cozzens.

LAUNDRESS—Laundress wants work by day or week or take work home. 711 N. Jefferson.

LAUNDRESS—German woman wants washing; go out by day. 4047A Fairfax av.

LAUNDRESS—German laundress wants first four days in week in work or housekeeping; ref. 4151 Easton av.

LAUNDRESS—Washing and ironing wanted to take home; good ref. 3537 Bernard av.

LAUNDRESS—Situation wanted by first-class white laundress, with refs.; few more engagements, by the day. Ad. 3016 Franklin.

LAUNDRESS—Colored woman wants to do laundry work by the day. 2736 Mills.

LAUNDRESS—Situation wanted by colored widow, washing to take home or work by day; desires work next week. Call or write 2216½ Franklin.

LAUNDRESS—Situation wanted to do washing by the day or work out, by reliable colored woman. 2226 Franklin av., rear.

LAUNDRESS—Situation wanted by white woman to do washing or sewing to take home; children's clothes made on short order; cheap. 3815A North Market.

LAUNDRESS—Situation wanted by laundress; will go out by day. Call or ad. 2332 Wash.

LAUNDRESS—First-class laundress wants to go out by day. 3117A Clark av.

MAN AND WIFE—Colored man and wife want housework. Please call 2605 Lucas av.

MAID—Sit. wanted by educated German girl, fine experience server, as maid or governess in family; also travel. Ad. C 150, Post-Dispatch.

NURSE—Sit. wanted by competent nurse. 3820 Olive st.

NURSE—Sit. wanted by a young Swiss girl as nurse or housegirl; speaks French only. Ad. M 49, Post-Dispatch.

NURSE—Sit. wanted as nurse; take care of confinement cases or invalid. Ad. L 150, P.-D.

NURSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by a German girl to nurse children; best references. Ad. H 35, P.-D.

NURSE—Sit. wanted by nurse; hospital or private patients; 10 years' experience; best refs. 4015 Peck st.

NURSE—Middle-aged widow would like position as nurse through any kind of sickness or as housekeeper for widower. Call or ad. 1215 Wash st.

NURSEGIRL—Situation wanted by colored girl as nurse or housegirl; private family. 2113 Walnut st.

NURSE—Situation wanted by experienced nurse; good ref. Ad. O 181, Post-Dispatch.

NURSE—Situation wanted by nurse; 8 years' experience; confinement a specialty; $5 per week; best of ref. Ad. T 181, Post-Dispatch.

NURSE—Situation wanted by trained nurse in hospital or private duty; best of ref. Ad. G 181, Post-Dispatch.

NURSE—Situation wanted by first-class nurse; city ref. 2924 Lucas av.

NURSE—Situation wanted as wetnurse; can give refs; call or ad. 2705 Gamble.

OFFICE LADY—Situation wanted by young lady in office or to take charge of cigar stand; can furnish good refs. Ad. C 163, Post-Dispatch.

SEAMSTRESS—First-class seamstress wants work at home. 1106½ Market st.

SEAMSTRESS—Situation wanted to do plain sewing; neatly done. 2933 Pine.

SEAMSTRESS—Seamstress would like to sew by day in families. 4054A Evans.

SEAMSTRESS—Seamstress wants to work for dressmaker; sews neatly and rapidly. Ad. G 12, Post-Dispatch.

SEAMSTRESS—Seamstress wants sewing to do at home. 2324 Olive st.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

20 Words or Less, 5 Cents.

SEAMSTRESS—Sit. wanted by an experienced seamstress; white or children's sewing; in family. 1308 Whittier st.

SEAMSTRESS—Sewing wanted by a competent seamstress in families; either by day or week; perfect fitter; $1.50 a day; references. Ad. O 34, Post-Dispatch.

SECRETARY—Wanted, position as private secretary by intelligent young lady; finest reference. Ad. W 38, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. wanted by young lady stenographer, accurate and reliable; will work reasonable. Ad. B 25, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Position wanted by stenographer and bookkeeper; salary no object. Ad. T 30, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Position wanted by thoroughly competent lady stenographer; three years' experience; salary moderate. Ad. Y 24, Post-Dis.

STENOGRAPHER—Position wanted as stenographer by girl of little experience. Ad. M. O. G., 3136 Cass av.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. wanted by young lady stenographer and bookkeeper, with three years' experience; willing to start on moderate salary. Ad. M 31, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Position wanted by experienced lady stenographer; best of reference. Ad. F 23, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Young lady wants position as stenographer; experienced; will work for small salary to begin. Ad. B 24, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Young lady who is a rapid and expert stenographer wishes position; can give the best possible reference. Ad. T 14, Post-Dis.

STENOGRAPHER—Young lady, who is a rapid and accurate stenographer, wishes position; 5 years' experience; Remington operator; best ref. Ad. F 169, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Situation wanted by qualified lady stenographer; thorough English scholar; experienced; from country; begin at $5. Ad. H 46, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Situation wanted by experienced lady stenographer; nominal salary; refs.; requests trial. Ad. E 47, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER — Young lady stenographer would like position for experience and practice; small salary. Ad. M 28, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHERS—Competent stenographers furnished promptly; telephone M 1162. St. Louis Typewriter Exchange, Chemical bldg.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. wanted by experienced lady stenographer; neat and accurate; Oliver machine preferred. Ad. G 39, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Experienced lady stenographer, English-Spanish education, desires first-class position; half or whole day; refs. furnished. Ad. L 30, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. wanted by competent young lady stenographer; salary $6. Ad. F 150, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. wanted by young lady stenographer; moderate salary. Ad. D 25, Post-Dis.

WAITRESS—Situation wanted as first-class waitress or housemaid; refs. 3608 Morgan st.

WIDOW—A neat, refined, business like widow, good cook, wishes place as housekeeper; must pay fair wages. Ad. O 27, Post-Dispatch.

WOMAN—Sit. wanted by a married woman to clean offices. Ad. Y 21, Post-Dispatch.

WOMAN—An elderly American woman desires position to sew and assist with light work, or would keep house for lady or gent. Ad. G 26, Post-Dispatch.

WOMAN—Sit. wanted by an elderly woman to wait on invalid; references given. 2830 Stoddard st.

WOMAN—Sit. wanted by middle-aged woman to do light housework or take care of elderly couple; good home; reasonable wages. Call 2214 Locust st.

WOMAN—Sit. wanted by young woman as companion or governess, with family going abroad; refs. exchanged. Ad. 1638 Texas av.

F. H. INGALLS sells you one article or more on easy payments; lovely Lace Curtains, Portieres, Rugs, Carpets, Dishes, Toilet Sets, Furniture, Gas and Gasoline Stoves and Refrigerators. 1223 Olive st.

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ACCOUNTANT will fit persons for position as bookkeepers, cashiers, etc.; instruction private; position secured; terms reas. Ad. A 100, P.-D.

ALTERATION HANDS WANTED—Competent alteration hands. Apply Cloak Dept., The Boston.

APPRENTICE WANTED—Dressmaker wants apprentice; must be neat; will pay while learning. 4249 Olive.

APPRENTICE WANTED—Millinery apprentice; girl to learn millinery trade. 3231 Easton av.

BEST $3 cabinet photos reduced to $2 per doz. When Studio, 1631 Franklin; open Sunday; tel. C 917.

BUSINESS NIGHT SCHOOL—$1 week; continues all summer; free trial. 312 N. 12th st.

CASHIER WANTED—An experienced lady cashier; salary $5 week; reference. Ad. W 29, Post-Dis.

CENTRAL BUSINESS COLLEGE has engaged services of Eldon Moran as shorthand instructor (author Moran-Pitman system); also Prof. Hill of Milwaukee, penman; terms reasonable; situations secured. 312 N. 12th st.

CHAMBERMAID WANTED—Chambermaid; either white or colored; of middle age; one who understands her business and is a good, steady worker; wages $3 per week and board. Apply Columbia Hotel, 9th and Chestnut sts.

COATMAKERS WANTED—First-class coat, pants and vestmakers. Rombotis-Sharp Tailoring Co., 512 Pine st.

COAT HANDS WANTED—Machine girls and hand sewers on boys' coats; power machines; piece or week work. 821 N. 12th st., 3d floor. Gauss.

COAT HANDS WANTED—Girls to sew on coats, hand and machine; steady work. 1929 Madison.

COMMUNION PHOTOS—At 610 Franklin, $2 per doz., any finish.

COOK WANTED—Middle-aged woman; $15 per month; no washing; light work. Mercantile Hotel, Mount Olive, Ill.

COOK WANTED—Colored cook; don't apply unless first-class; best wages; bring refs. 5026 Washington av.

COOK WANTED—Good white girl with reference; good wages. Apply Sunday, 5081 Fairmount.

COOK WANTED—White girl for cooking and general housework; family 2; no outside work; wages $16. Ad., stating reference, H 22, Post-Dispatch.

COOK WANTED—Competent cook. 4221 Pine st.

COOK WANTED—Girl for plain cooking, family of two. 4318 Pine st.

COOK WANTED—Competent cook; good wages. 3821 Delmar bl.

COO KWANTED—Middle-aged woman to cook in roadhouse; apply at once. 6256 Florissant av.

COOK WANTED—Girl to cook, wash and iron, apply afternoon. 4330 Washington bl.

COOK WANTED—Girl to cook and assist in general housework; 2d girl kept. 5673 Cabanne av.

COOK WANTED—Cook and laundress for family of four; best wages paid; call Monday. 4239 Morgan st.

COOK WANTED—Colored female cook; one who understands pastry work. 3121 Washington av.

COOK WANTED—Woman cook; $1 day; restaurant, 6703 Manchester av.; take Benton car.

COOK WANTED—A first-class cook; references required; call Monday. 3407 Washington av.

COOK WANTED—Middle-aged woman as cook; good wages. 513 Missouri av., East St. Louis.

COOK, ETC., WANTED—Cook, laundress, waitress and girl for general housework; best wages. 3908 Morgan st.

COOK WANTED—Competent girl to cook, wash and iron in family of three. 4200 Morgan.

COOK WANTED—Cook, wash and iron, family of 5; wages $15 per month. 5669 Cabanne av.

COOK WANTED—Good cook; no washing; small family. 3827 Russell av.

COOK WANTED—First-class cook, with references; two in family. 4428 Forest Park bl.

COOK WANTED—White woman to do cooking and laundry work. Apply 5356 Vernon av.

COOK WANTED—First-class cook in every respect; private family. 4930 Lindell bl.

COOK WANTED—First-class cook and general housework. 4219 Washington av.

COOK WANTED—Experienced white cook; good wages; no washing; city references required. 3971 Delmar bl.

COOK WANTED—A good German girl to cook and do general housework. Call 5186 Raymond av.

COOK WANTED—One who has had experience; good wages. Klausmann Cafe, 8639 S. Broadway.

COOK WANTED—A plain German cook and housegirl. Mrs. John Fox, Madison, Ill.

COOKS AND HOUSEGIRLS WANTED—Reliable cooks and girls for general housework. World's Fair Employment Bureau, 826 Mermod & Jaccard bldg.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

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COOKS WANTED—Ten female cooks, private families, restaurants, boarding houses and hotels; city and country. National Employment Co., 113 N. 6th st.

COOK WANTED—Girl; must be competent cook; wages $20. 4459 Lindell.

COOK AND NURSE WANTED—Good cook and nurse to go to country. Call Monday, 10 to 2. 4129 Laclede av.

COOK WANTED—Good cook, colored or white; good wages. 360 N. Taylor av., cor. Berlin av.

COOK WANTED—Girl for cooking and general housework; family of two. 4123 Delmar bl.

COOK AND HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Cook and housegirl; Germans preferred; small family. 3412 Pine st.

COOK WANTED—Reliable cook to cook, wash and iron; reference required. 4321 Olive st.

COOK WANTED—A good cook, who will assist with washing and ironing; good wages; German preferred. 3430 Bell.

DISHWASHERS WANTED—Small girls to wash dishes and do chores. 619 N. Sarah st.

DISHWASHER WANTED—A dishwasher, at once. 1402 N. Broadway.

DISHWASHER WANTED—Woman dishwasher; at once. Restaurant, 1020 Market st.

DRESSMAKER WANTED—First-class waist finisher; steady employment; one used to good work. 4231 Finney.

DRESSMAKER WANTED—Experienced dressmaker for children's clothes. Call 1023 Grattan st.

DRESSMAKER WANTED—Dressmaker for hand work. Call 1907 Olive st.

DRESSMAKER WANTED—Good dressmaker to locate in southern Illinois town; prices, $5 and $6; splendid opportunity. For particulars ad. K 25, Post-Dispatch.

FELLING HANDS WANTED—Experienced felling hands and buttonhole makers on fine custom coats. Samuel Fox, 1000 Olive st.

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Forelady on Ladies' Shirtwaists.

One who understands the waist business thoroughly; good opening for the right party; also, 25 first-class waistmakers. Apply to
STERLING MFG. CO., 1419 Olive st.

FINISHERS WANTED—Finishers on pants; pay $8 to $9 per week. 712½ Pine, room 16.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

Skirtmakers; good pay; steady employment.
MEYER & GOESSLING, 705 Washington.

GIRL WANTED—Girl about 16 years old to wash dishes at the Grand-Leader candy department.

GIRLS WANTED—20 girls. Apply Globe Pickle Co., 1004-1012 Collins st.

GIRLS WANTED—Ten girls that are used to making muslin underwear or skirts; our girls make good wages and have steady employment; light work. 720 N. 4th st., 3d floor.

GIRLS WANTED—Experienced girls to dress and pack ladies' fine shoes. 3050 Cass av.

GIRL WANTED—Girl, to cook and do general housework; in suburbs; no washing; man kept for outside work. Ad., with references and wages expected, R 33, Post-Dispatch.

GIRL WANTED—A small girl. Roberts & Heineman, 704 St. Charles st.

GIRLS WANTED—25 waistmakers; advanced prices paid. Olga Mfg. Co., 617 N. 8th st.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls, not to exceed 14 years of age, to pack light goods. Apply 415 N. 4th st.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls to set type; experience not necessary. 217 Pine st.

GIRL WANTED—Girl to cook and assist with housework; good wages; no washing. 4202 Page.

GIRLS WANTED—Experienced hands on ladies' skirts and children's reefers. St. Louis Cloak Co., 704 Washington av.

GIRL WANTED—Girl experienced in quilting on Singer sewing machine. Apply Meyer, Bannerman & Co., 616 N. 6th st.

GIRLS WANTED—Experienced table girls on ladies' shoes. Tennent Shoe Co., 23d and O'Fallon.

GIRL WANTED—Good German girl to do cooking in a family of two; no washing. 1530 Morgan.

GIRL WANTED—Girl, white, to work in kitchen; one who lives at home preferred; no Sunday work. Apply Quick Lunch Cafe, 602 Chestnut st., 6:30 Monday morning.

GIRL WANTED—An errand girl for dressmaker. 4313 Morgan st.

GIRLS WANTED—An experienced sewing girl and apprentices. 4001 Olive st.

GIRL WANTED—White girl for plain laundry work by month. 1048 N. Taylor av.

GIRL WANTED—Girl who has had experience on power machine; small factory; central location. Ad. D 169, Post-Dispatch.

GIRL WANTED—German girl in small dry goods store. Ad. F 27, Post-Dispatch.

GIRLS WANTED
For Cigarette Department.
CATLIN FACTORY,
13th and Chestnut.

GIRL WANTED—Young German girl to assist in housework. 3900 Westminster pl., one block south of Olive.

GIRL WANTED—An errand girl, at millinery store. 1909 St. Louis av.

GIRL WANTED—A small girl to take care of child. 1406 N. 9th st.

GIRLS WANTED—Experienced basters and learning girls on vests. 2724 S. 9th st.

GIRLS WANTED—Machine and hand sewers; good pay. 1905 Ferry st., 2d floor.

GIRL WANTED—Girl to assist in laundry; references from last place. 4205 West Pine st.

GIRL WANTED—White girl to cook and assist with laundry; refs. 3907 West Pine st.

GIRLS WANTED—Two girls, one to cook, wash and iron, one for housework, wash and iron. 3802 West Pine st.

GIRLS WANTED—Competent waist and skirt hands; also helpers. 3418B Locust st.

GIRLS WANTED—Starcher and machine girls, and other laundry help. Missouri Laundry, 2715 Park.

GIRLS WANTED—Experienced girls on fine pants. Robert Grein, 203 N. 7th st.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls; experienced shoe stitchers; also girls to learn. 403 Columbia Theater blg.

GIRL WANTED—4025 Blaine av.

GIRL WANTED—First-class colored girl at 1012 Locust st.

GIRL WANTED—Girl; family of four; call Monday. 3918 Shenandoah av.

GIRLS WANTED—Nice, tidy young girls to learn corset making; good pay from start. Apply Western Corset Co., 927 N. 11th st.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls for bronzing; experience not necessary. Apply 7:45 Monday morning. Samuel F. Myerson Printing Co., 3d and Vine.

GIRLS WANTED—20 experienced duck coat makers; 20 pants makers, on fine worsted and cassimere pants. Marx & Haas Clo. Co., 13th and Washington.

GIRLS WANTED—Experienced girls to sew awnings. American Tent & A. Co., 314 Chestnut.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls to pick nuts. Apply 518 N. 2d st.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls to sew on pants. 3318 Michigan av.

GIRL WANTED—Honest girl. 3601A Olive, opposite Spring av.

GIRL WANTED—Good German girl; work in bakery. Apply Sunday afternoon at 1239 N. 18th.

GIRL WANTED—German girl for upstairs work. 4167 McPherson av.

GIRL WANTED—Dining-room girl, to serve dinner in restaurant. 1018 S. 18th st.; call Sunday.

GIRL WANTED—Competent girl for office work; must be good penman; references required. Ad. F 42, Post-Dispatch.

GIRL WANTED—Small girl to fold circulars; permanent position. Apply Monday morning, 311 N. Main st.

GIRL WANTED—Girl to help cook and do laundry work; good wages. 3725 West Pine.

GIRL WANTED—Girl in small family; no laundry or outside work; good home for good girl. 4149 Morgan st.

GIRLS WANTED—Experienced machine and hand girls on pants; also to take work home. 2719 Chippewa st.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls to learn on machine and basting. 2416 S. 13th st.

GIRLS WANTED—Experienced hands on wrappers and dressing sacques on new high speed power machines; steady work; good pay. J. Goldberg, 1700 S. 7th st.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls to learn millinery trade. Western Trimmed Hat Co., 1226 Washington av.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls. St. Louis Paper Box Co., 21st and Randolph sts.

GIRLS WANTED—[illegible] girls at American Feather Duster Co., [illegible] N. 7th st.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

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GIRL WANTED—Girl on first-class custom coats; no factory girl. 913 Morgan st.

GIRL WANTED—First-class, experienced girl, to run two-needle flat bed and post machine. 810 St. Charles st.

GIRL WANTED—Girl to learn to make garters. 810 St. Charles st.

GIRLS WANTED—At once, experienced waist and skirt hands. 3704 Finney av.

GIRL WANTED—Neat kitchen girl for dairy lunchroom. Apply 1038 N. Grand av.

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GIRLS WANTED—Experienced girls for clerical work in mail order department. Apply at once, 5th floor, Grand-Leader.

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GIRLS WANTED—Two competent girls, to cook and do housework of small family. 3227 Lafayette av.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls, are you out of employment? Situations easily and speedily obtained through office of the National Employment Co., 113 N. 6th st.

GIRLS WANTED—To make artificial flowers; also girl to learn. 521 Locust st.

GIRLS WANTED—Experienced girls for folding. 108 Vine st.

GIRLS WANTED—To sew by hand; steady work. S. Haiman, 1016 N. 11th st., second floor.

GIRLS WANTED—On coats; to sew; high wages; steady job. 816½ Chestnut st.

GIRLS WANTED—For hand sewing; on coats. Schmitz & Shroder, 6th and St. Charles sts.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls to sew on pants. Apply 1123 Washington av., 4th floor.

GIRLS WANTED—100 girls to learn on power machines; steady. 2009 Morgan st. Jokerst Mfg. Co.

HELP WANTED—Chambermaid, $18; waitress, $18; country working housekeeper, $20; 2 waitresses, $17; country hotel chambermaids, $12; vegetable cooks, $14; 6 dinner girls, $3; hotel pantry and kitchen girls, $14 to $16; house and general housegirls, without washing, $14 to $18; house and dining room girls, $16; dishwashers, $3.50 to $4 week; office fees, 50c, $1, $2. National Employment Co., 113 N. 6th st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework. 3139 Lucas av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—At 3527 Bell av., a girl for light housework; go home nights.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl about 15 years old to assist at housework. Apply at 4816 Washington av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young girl in small family for general housework; reference. 1163 Aubert av. (49th st.).

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing. 3954 Russell av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; go home at night; small family; no children. 4106 Finney av., downstairs.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Neat, honest colored housegirl. 2911 Washington av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Housegirl; best wages. 3744 Washington av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl for general housework. 2401 N. 12th st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for housework. 3678 Finney av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Colored girl, at once, for general housework. 2618 S. Grand av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—First-class girl for general housework; white or colored; no washing; wages $17. 1623 Morgan.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; must be good cook; good wages. 1828 Hickory st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family. Call 5724 Cates av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Competent girl; family of 3; no washing; best wages; apply at once. 5723 Cates av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework. Apply 5706 Vernon av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework; if possible sleep home. 2603½ St. Vincent av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—White woman for general housework and care for infant; ref. required. 2735 Olive.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; German preferred. Call p. m. 2110A Olive.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 5600 Vernon av.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Housekeeper for rooming house; single lady, with some furniture. Ad. E 133, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 5203 Minerva av.; take Page bl. car.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good housegirl; good wages. 5579 Clemens av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing, no children. 2628 S. 12th st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good white girl for general housework; private family; no washing. 3436 Chestnut st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; family of two. 4567 Page bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A young white girl for general housework. 4575 West Belle terrace.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Reliable woman for family of 2; references required. S. e. cor. Morganford rd. and Hartford st.; 9 to 10 a. m. or 7 to 8 p. m.

HOUSEWOMAN WANTED—A young woman for general housework; no washing. 4510 Natural Bridge rd.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young girl; three in family; call mornings; general housework. 1131 Rutger st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; call at store. 1724 Franklin av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Neat girl for general housework; $14. Inquire 2727 Park av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 4593 Garfield av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young German girl for general housework; small family. Call 1524 Cora pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good general housework girl who is good cook; references required. Apply 4414 Delmar.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework; no outside work. 3900 Westminster pl., one block south of Olive.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; good wages; must be good cook. Apply 1823 Hickory st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; two in family. 1310 N. High st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 3863 Windsor pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—White girl to do general housework for family of two. 5207 Morgan st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A young girl to assist with housework and do small washing; apply Monday. 3439 Bell av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 3664 Blaine av.; two blocks south of Park.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; family of four adults; good wages and home for right one. 1109 Morrison av.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Young lady or unincumbered widow, to keep house for widower and two children; must not be over 30 years of age. Ad. G 42, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—A good housekeeper; middle-aged lady preferred. 1827 Ernest av., East St. Louis. H. Kemmer.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good German girl for general housework; good home to right party; 4 adults. Apply 3633 Shenandoah av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl or middle-aged lady for general housework; good home. 6069 Maple av.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Young or middle-aged woman as working housekeeper. 641 Tower Grove av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework in family of 4. 3040 Castleman; take Park av. cars.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family. 4522 Cook av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Middle-aged woman for light housework and nurse children; good home; small wages. 2601 Pine st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; German preferred; good home. 3738 Olive st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 4532 Cook av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no housecleaning. 4069 Castleman av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; three in family. 512A N. Channing av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; three in family; Webster Groves; Maple av., first house south of Lockwood av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework. 2911 Rauschenbach av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Second girl for general housework; bring references. Apply 3027 Morgan.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family; good wages. [illegible] Clemens.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family; pleasant home and good wages. 4437 Delmar bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework in family of 4; high wages. 5591 Cabanne.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 6048 West Cabanne.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—White girl for cook and general housework, small house, small family. 5718 Maple av.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Refined working housekeeper for aged gentleman. National Employment Co., 113 N. 6th st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; family of two; call Sunday morning. 5011 Vernon av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Competent girl to do general housework for a small family; must be a good cook. 954 Laurel av.; take Suburban car.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Housekeeper for widower with two children; good home for right party. Ad. R 37, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good home and wages; small house; no children. Call 2811 Locust st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good girl for general housework; no washing or ironing. 5037 Washington av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing; take Compton Heights car. 3935 Botanical av.

HOUSEKEEPERS—Make your own washing fluid and save big money; formulas by mail 25c. Stone & Braker, 2120 N. 11th st., St. Louis, Mo.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Housegirl; good wages; must give reference; call Sunday and Monday. 2835 Lafayette av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Competent girl for general housework, family of two; references. 5273 Westminster pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 3420 Laclede av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. 2822 Russell av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Reliable housegirl; reference required. 4321 Olive st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good German girl for general housework. 6435 Virginia av.

HOUSEWOMAN WANTED—Woman for general housework; sleep home; reference required. 2229 Pine st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to do general housework; 2 in family. Apply 4152 West Pine bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework in small family of adults; good home; good wages. 4649 Cook av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good girl to assist at housework. 3553 Lindell av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl to assist with general housework; must be able to do good plain cooking; good wages; small family. 1724 Longfellow bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; apply at once. 5015A Vernon.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A young girl to help in general housework. 4049 Botanical av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good strong girl for general housework. Call at 4286 Page av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 219 N. Sarah, between Lindell and West Pine.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good girl for general housework; small family; good wages. 3519 N. Taylor av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework, 3 in family. 3840 Westminster pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 5057A McPherson av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good white girl for general housework; two in family; good wages. 4211 West Belle pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 2703 Virginia av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good girl for general housework; family of two. 4490 Forest Park bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework in small family; good wages. 2921 Henrietta st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl about 15 years of age to do general housework. 6119A Easton.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small wash. 4243 Delmar bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; family of 2. 1220 Hamilton av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good German girl for general housework in small family; good wages. Apply today, 4236 Castleman av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework; small family. Apply 5153 Delmar av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl in family of 3; good wages. 3630 California av.

HOUSEWOMAN WANTED—German woman for general housework in family of 3; no outside work. 4350 West Belle.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework, German or American. 3727 Delmar.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to assist with general housework. 5118 Raymond av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young girl to assist with general work; call Sunday. 3751 Cozens av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework, 3 in family. Call 2007 California av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 2433 N. Grand av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework. 2345 Park av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 4202 Manchester.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework. 1531 S. 11th st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—White girl for light housework, family of two; steam heated flat; kind treatment; good wages; apply Monday. Ad. R 169, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for housework at once. 4111 West Pine bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 3854 Page av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. 3231 Eads av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; family of two. 5265 Page av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; family of adults. Apply Monday at 1448 S. Grand av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A competent girl for housework and cooking in family of two; good wages; references required. 5133 Washington av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 5149A Delmar bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; with or without washing and ironing; call Sunday or Monday. 3315 Chestnut st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl for housework. 4021 Washington av.

HOUSEWOMAN WANTED—Middle-aged woman for light housework. Apply 4213 Cote Brilliante.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework and cooking; small family; call Sunday. 5169A Kensington av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A young girl for general housework; no washing. 4104 Maryland av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good white girl for general housework; small family. 3413 Laclede.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework; no washing; good wages; small family. Apply 5837 Cates av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Neat girl for general housework in family of two. 3670 Cook.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework; good wages. 4435 Page.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; good wages. 3310 Lawton.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; family of two. 3819 Olive.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—White girl for general housework. 1206½ Grattan.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Experienced German girl for general housework. 4130 McPherson.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Working housekeeper for widower with family; call Sunday. 1033 Park av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl about 16 years of age for light housework. 2713 McNair av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Colored girl to do general housework; small family. Apply 4211A Evans.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 429 Victor st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good girl, at once, for general housework; good wages. 1116 Whittier.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family. 3808 West Pine bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Competent white girl for general housework; small family; good cook; with or without washing; $18. 5670 Cabanne av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; 2 in family. Call Monday, 5579 Vernon.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Colored woman for general housework; references; call Sunday. 5527 Vernon av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl, 15 to 17, for general housework. 2203A Carr.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good colored woman for general housework. 3315 Morgan.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; good wages. 5910 Minerva av.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no laundry work. 5128 Raymond av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young white girl, 15 years of age, to assist with housework. Call 1006 N. Jefferson.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. 3675 Laclede.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Housekeeper for two young gentlemen; will give best of refs. Ad. F 49, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEWOMAN WANTED—Middle-aged woman for general housework. 3917 Delmar bl.

H[illegible] work; small family. 4318 Cook av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; good home. 4056 Morgan.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 1116 Sidney st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for light housework. 164 Sidney st., upstairs.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 1516 Chestnut st., and 5071 Washington.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Elderly German girl to cook, wash and iron in small family. 3521 S. Grand.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework and washing; family of 3; reference required. Call Monday, 2946 Washington av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good, steady girl for general housework. Inquire at notion store, 706 Chouteau.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 2815 Henrietta.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 2316 S. 12th st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply at 2742 Allen.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—An experienced house and dining-room girl; refs. 3142 Locust.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; two in family; good wages. 4225 Maryland.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl to do housework, about 17 years old. Apply at 1311 Clara av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 2335A Rutger st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good German girl for general housework; a good home. 2208A N. 11th.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; good wages. Apply at 1704 N. Grand av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework, small family. Apply 1319 Blackstone av.; take Page av. car.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; two in family; good wages. 1746 Missouri.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl for light housework. 4605 Maryland av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Experienced girl for general work, in small family; good wages. 4266 Morgan st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Housegirl; 2 in family; $15 per month; references required; call at once. 3649 Laclede av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl about 16 years to assist with housework. Apply 5202 S. Compton av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; family of four; wages $14. Apply 26 Nicholson pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to do cooking and kitchen work; German preferred; no washing; good wages. Ad. Box D, Nokomis, Ill.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; employ 2 girls. Apply at 4718 S. B'way.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young girl to assist small family in housekeeping; no washing. 2935 Sheridan av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; good wages. 4167 Castleman.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework, upstairs, small family. 3252 California av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for cooking and housework; must be well recommended and white; none other need apply; desirable situation; good wages. Call or write, 5368 Cabanne av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. no washing. 5629 Clemens av.

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LADIES WANTED—Ladies for home industry; easy work and profitable; at leisure. Ad. R 23, P.-D.

LADIES WANTED—Ladies to learn the 20th century profession for women; we teach dermatology, electrolysis, electric massage, manicuring, chiropody, hair-dressing, dyeing, working, etc.; physical culture and facial treatments; eight weeks course; special courses also; diplomas granted; graduates earn from $75 to $200 per month; write for catalogue. The Louisville School of Electrolysis and Dermatology, 551 4th av., Louisville, Ky.

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LADIES to do plain needlework for us at home, $8 to $12 weekly; we furnish materials; experience unnecessary; no canvassing; steady employment. Ad. with stamp, Household Mfg. Co., Station V, Chicago, Ill.

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LADY WANTED—Young lady to assist bookkeeper; must be experienced in grocery business. Ad. K 133, Post-Dispatch.

LADY WANTED—Lady with $2 can make $50 a month; permanent business. B. S. Bullis, 1528 Olive st.

LADIES WANTED—Thirty more ladies to take home light, pleasant work; written guarantee, apply Monday and Tuesday from 9 to 3. 220 Mermod-Jaccard bldg.

LADY WANTED—Respectable young lady with good references as partner and take charge of office for young man in good, nice paying business; best of references. Ad. T 41, Post-Dis.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—A first-class laundress. 4605 Maryland av.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—Lace curtain cleaning. McS., 2319 Wash st.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—At once, competent laundress; German preferred. 3847 Windsor pl.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—A laundress; also girl for upstairs and dining room work. 3547 Pine.

LEARN to teach shorthand; normal course free for unemployed Ben Pitman stenographers. 312 N. 12th st.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—Practical lessons, bookkeeping, common branches, shorthand for services. Ad. H 43, Post-Dispatch.

MODEL WANTED—Model with full bust and good form to pose; face not shown; give full description. Ad. K 37, Post-Dispatch.

NURSE WANTED—Experienced nurse for small infant and to do light housework. 4933 Forest Park bl.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—About 14 or 15 years old. 1035 Goodfellow av.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—Good young girl to nurse. 3436 Chestnut st.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—An experienced white nursegirl; 14 to 16 years; good wages paid. 3942A Olive st.

NURSE WANTED—Strong, healthy nurse who can cook. 5316 Cote Brilliante av.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—Nursegirl; neat, young white girl. 5365 Vernon av.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—White nursegirl, 14 or 15 years old. 5658 Cates av.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—White nursegirl for small children; refs. required. Apply 4349 West Belle.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—Nursegirl at 4118 Maryland av.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to nurse and assist with general housework. 4041 Morgan st.

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OFFICE WOMAN WANTED—Colored woman, middle-aged and genteel, for doctor's office and waiting room; references. Ad. C 34, Post-Dispatch.

OPERATORS WANTED—Expert pants operators and finishers; steady work to neat hands. 3904 Cook av.

OPERATORS WANTED—Operators on sewing machines. Apply S. Haiman, 1016 N. 11th st.

OPERATORS WANTED—Operators on pants and overalls. Wright, Green & Wilkinson, 825 N. 8th st.

OPERATORS WANTED—Good operators on power machines. 315 Olive st., 2d floor.

OPERATORS WANTED—Experienced operators on shirts and duck coats; all high-speed machines; good wages; steady work. At Premium Mfg. Co., 1008 St. Charles st.

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SALESLADY WANTED—American lady, of about 35, as saleslady; required from 9 to 4 o'clock; experience not necessary; moderate pay. Ad. C 35, Post-Dispatch.

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SALESWOMEN WANTED—For knit underwear and crockery departments; must be experienced. Apply on 3d floor Famous, Broadway and Morgan.

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SALESLADIES WANTED—Salesladies, demonstrators, canvassers (sell skirt supporters), salary $9; all week. 904 Olive, room 416.

SEAMSTRESSES WANTED—Seamstresses; work in shirtwaist or wrapper factory. 1102 Elliot.

SEAMSTRESS WANTED—Christian lady to do general sewing and mending for young lady employed during day. Ad. F 30, Post-Dispatch.

SEAMSTRESS WANTED—German or French seamstress, educated, who will assist in housework. Ad. K 15, Post-Dispatch.

SEAMSTRESSES WANTED—Hand and machine girls to sew on pants; steady work. 1552 S. 7th st.

SEAMSTRESSES WANTED—Waist and skirt hands. Smith, 3912 Lindell bl.

SEWERS WANTED—Hand sewers on custom pants. Mills & Averill, Broadway and Pine.

SEWERS WANTED—Good sewers for dressmaker. Mme. Crombie, 3812 Olive st.

SHIRTMAKERS WANTED—Especially good collar and cuffmakers; pay large salary, by the week, if preferred. Arcade Shirt Mfg. Co., 408 N. 11th.

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SHOE FITTERS WANTED—Folders, skivers, table hands and girls to work in packing room. Friedman Bros. Shoe Co., 3417 Locust st.

SHOE FITTERS WANTED—Two vampers on men's fine shoes. Apply 4 o'clock Monday, room 627 Mermod-Jaccard bldg. Illinois Shoe Co.

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SHORTHAND COURSE—$40; tuition per month, day, $8; night, $5; positions procured. Hartsock & Jones's Business College, Grand and Windsor; call.

SKIRT HANDS WANTED—First-class skirt hands. 4308 Cook av.

SKIRTMAKERS WANTED—Experienced skirtmakers. Grand Mfg. Co., 803 Washington av.

SKIRT FINISHERS WANTED—Skirt finishers. Meyer & Goessling, 705 Washington av.

SKIRTMAKERS WANTED — Skirt and waistmakers; at once. 2814 Washington av.

SKIRTMAKER WANTED—First-class skirt and waistmaker. Ad. R 163, Post-Dispatch.

SKIRTMAKER WANTED—Skirtmaker. Williamson Corset and Brace Co., 1512 Locust st.

SKIRTMAKERS WANTED—50 skirtmakers; new machinery; plenty light; good paying, steady work; wages from $8 to $10 week. N. e. cor. 8th and Franklin av.

SKIRTMAKERS WANTED—Experienced skirtmakers; power machines; good prices. J. Schoenbrun, 4th floor, 509 N. 6th st.

STENOGRAPHERS WANTED—Stenographers to rent typewriters; positions secured. St. Louis Typewriter Exchange, Chemical bldg.

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VEST HANDS WANTED—6 basters, and small girls to learn, on vests; pay while learning. 1820 Oregon av.

VESTMAKERS WANTED—Female help on first-class vests only. 2312 Pestalozzi st.

WAIST FINISHER WANTED—Waist finisher; also one skirt hand; call Sunday. 4547 Delmar.

WAIST-MAKERS WANTED—Experienced waistmakers, skirtmakers and alteration hands; apply Monday morning, April 8, dressmaking parlors, 4th floor. Scruggs, Vandervoort & Barney D. G. Co.

WAISTMAKERS WANTED—Experienced waistmakers; also Standard button machine operator. Isaacs & Rubenstein, 703 Lucas av.

WAISTMAKER WANTED—Experienced waistmaker at once. 3710 Laclede av.

WAIST HANDS WANTED—Seamstress, experienced waist finisher and machine operators. 3323 Washington.

WAISTMAKERS WANTED — Experienced waist and skirtmakers on power machines. Macdonald Mfg. Co., 713 Lucas av.

WAISTMAKER WANTED—A first-class waistmaker; also helper on sleeves; and an apprentice. 3543 Laclede av.

WAITRESSES WANTED—Exp. waitresses in restaurant; call Sunday afternoon. 2742 Olive st.

WETNURSE WANTED—Apply Lee and Fair avs. Dr. Ludwig.

WOMAN WANTED—Colored or white woman to attend an invalid lady. Ad. E 36, Post-Dis.

WOMAN WANTED—Woman, who can take care of child. 123 S. 14th st.

WOMEN WANTED—Women to do plain sewing at home, $1.50 per day; 4 months' work guaranteed; work sent prepaid; send stamped addressed envelope for particulars. R. W. Hutton & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

WOMAN WANTED—Business woman as assistant manager of city business; reference. Ad. N 29, Post-Dispatch.

WOMAN WANTED—Educated woman, with business ability. Call at 405 Mermod & Jaccard bld.. Monday afternoon.

WOMAN WANTED—Middle-aged woman or girl for kitchen work. 1619 N. Broadway.

WOMAN WANTED—Woman to clean up. Dental office, 612 Olive.

WOMAN WANTED—Woman to wash bottles. Apply Monday morning, 114 Market st.

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WOMAN WANTED—Middle-aged woman as housekeeper. Apply between 12 and 1 Sunday at 1429 Wright st.

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Wanted—First-class trimmer at Reilly's, 1215 and 1217 Franklin av.

SPORING MILLINERY CO.,

1021 FRANKLIN AVENUE,

Are in their new store and are showing the swellest, most complete and up-to-date stock of Spring Hats and Millinery Goods in the city. Ladies who contemplate buying a spring hat and want to get real bargains should not fail to see them.

SOLID GOLD GLASSES $2.50.

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Elgin and Waltham Watches that keep time sold on time—easy payments—$3 down—best and cheapest repairing. Main Springs, 50c. F. H. INGALLS, 1222 Olive St.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.
Business Announcements, 10 Cents Per Line.

WOMAN WANTED—An experienced woman to sort your rugs. Call 1821 O'Fallon st.

YOUNG LADY WANTED—Young lady to assist in general office work; must be a good penman, accurate at figures and know how to operate Remington typewriter; salary $6 week; reference. Ad. W 28, Post-Dispatch.

"YOUNG ladies" send us your name and address and we will tell you how to learn to play the piano or organ without a teacher. The Y. Tracem Co., Box 602, St. Louis, Mo.

EMPLOYMENT AGENCIES.

14 Words or Less, 30 Cents.

FAMILIES can get girls and girls places and lodging. 1608 Wash st.

LAUNDRY HELP WANTED.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

IRONERS WANTED—Experienced shirt ironers on new work. The New Era Mfg. Co., 905 Lucas.

IRONERS WANTED—Two first-class lady clothes ironers; steady work. C. A. Lange Laundry Co., 2004 S. Jefferson av.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—Experienced laundress, Monday; bring references; call Sunday before 10:30 a. m. 4666 Morgan st.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—First-class colored laundress. 4714 Page.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—At 2051 Park, a competent laundress, by the month; also to assist in housework the latter part of the week.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—No. 1 laundress by the month; good wages; good home; references. 4385 Maryland av.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—At once. 1402 N. Broadway.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—First-class laundress, to iron one day a week. 4187 Morgan st.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—2124 Olive; two good basement rooms, with use of range, to a neat laundress.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—Woman to help do washing for use of basement. 3529 Lindell.

MARKER AND SORTER WANTED—$1.50 per day. Schaab Laundry Co., 2300 Walnut st.

SHIRT IRONERS WANTED—Ten first-class shirt ironers on new work; steady work. F. McK. D. G. Co., 1009 Lucas av. J. Wetzel, manager.

STARCHER WANTED—Experienced starcher on new shorts. The New Era Mfg. Co., 905 Lucas.

STARCHERS, ETC., WANTED—Steever banders, starchers, mangle hand and girls to learn. Apply at the Leader Laundry Co., 2315 and 2317 Texas.

STARCHERS WANTED—And machine hands. Schaab Laundry Co., 2300 Walnut st.

WASHMAN WANTED—First-class washman. Leader Laundry Co., 2315 Texas av.

THEATRICAL.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

DICK RICHARDS, the only expert stage dancing instructor in the city; all the latest eastern dances taught. Office 2709 St. Louis av.

EXPERIENCED tenor, good reader, seeks choir position; quartet preferred. Ad. E 46, Post-Dis.

MRS. FINNEY'S school of elocution, vaudeville, stage and fancy dancing; lessons private; talent furnished public and private entertainments. 1103½ N. Vandeventer.

PARTNER WANTED—Partner; little capital; small theatrical company; route booked; ready for road. Ad. Y 43, Post-Dispatch.

THEATRICAL—For sale, Pan-American miniature; $50; fine exhibit for summer resort. John Hammes, 919 Bank, Keokuk, Io.

THEATRICAL—Children wanted for juvenile opera. Apply at once, 3220 Pine st.

THEATRICAL—Wanted, ladies and gentlemen for local dramatic club for summer entertainments; also song slide machine. Call 4056 Easton av. L. C. Kelly.

THEATRICAL—Stage and fancy dancing of all kinds taught by the greatest expert in the city; lessons daily. Call Grahame's Hall, 1302 Olive.

THEATRICAL—Wanted, lady partner, musical act; set musical glasses, 25, $3.50. Ad. P 24, P.-D.

WANTED—Young ladies and gentlemen to join Century Dramatic Club; free instruction. Call or write Hashagen's Theater, 3300 Easton av.

LOST AND FOUND.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

Lost.

CUSHIONS—Lost or stolen, 2 leather cushions from barouche, Monday night; reward for return of same. Obert Brewing Co.

DOG—Lost, fox terrier; one side of head black; liberal reward if returned to 49 Vandeventer pl.

DOG—Lost, March 28, black Scotch terrier dog, 6 months old. Return to 4626 Bell av. for reward.

DOG—Lost, large brown shepherd dog; reward. 1122 Rutger.

DOG—Lost, a black Newfoundland bitch; liberal reward to the finder. 1001 N. 6th st.

DOG—Lost, light brown spotted dog, neighborhood 4514 N. 19 st.; return above address and receive reward.

DOG—Lost, small black dog, straight hair, female, white breast and feet, bushy tail; lost last week; liberal reward. 2218 Franklin av.

DOG—Lost, young shepherd dog; answers to name of Nibs; reward if returned to A. Shattinger, 4247 Laclede av.

DOG—Lost, female black and tan, name "Birdie." Reward if returned to 4447 Easton av.

DOG—Lost, from 4121 Delmar bl., small white female fox terrier; forehead evenly marked; small black spot on left side neck; also maltese colored terrier pup; $3 reward.

DOG—Lost, red Irish setter, since last Wednesday; no collar; reward. 1821 Aubert.

DOG—Lost, Sunday, March 31, bull terrier; light brown; weighs about 28 lbs.; small head, thin tail; leather collar, iron ring; liberal reward. J. Maynard, 306 Salena st.

DOG—Lost, water spaniel, with red collar; return to 2650 Pine st.; receive reward; no questions asked.

DOG—Lost; $25 reward will be paid for the return of my white and liver-colored pointer bitch; she has a spot in the pupil of her left eye, and had a round leather collar on when last seen. Ad. Joseph D. Lucas, Kinloch, St. Louis County, Mo.

HAIRPIN—Lost, Saturday, back hairpin with serpent's head on end. Return to 2937 Pine st.; reward.

LENS—Lost, camera lens, Wednesday, on Lindell av., north side Forest Park, near closed bridge; reward. W. J. Nichols, Post-Dispatch.

NOSE GLASSES—Lost, Wednesday, on S. Broadway, pair gold nose glasses; reward. 3544 S. Broadway.

POCKETBOOK—Lost, brown leather pocketbook, 27th and Franklin av.; small amount of money; valuable papers; reward. Return to 5833 Julian.

RING—Lost, ring; two diamonds and turquoise; a memento; reward at 2331 Virginia av.

SAMPLE BOOK—Lost, sample book of leather. Return to 5228 Page bl. and receive reward.

UMBRELLA—Lost, on Thursday morning, on Washington av. car, straight handled umbrella, with silver top, engraved with owner's name, L. C. Johnson. Return to 4268 Morgan st. and receive reward.

UMBRELLA—Lost, a pearl and gold handled umbrella; on Olive st. car; Monday a. m. Return to 4520 Delmar bl. and receive reward.

WATCH—Lost, March 27, ladies' gold watch and charm; watch engraved initial B, charm square with five diamonds; handsome reward. 3112 Lucas av.

WATCH CHARM—Lost, a K. of C. watch charm; possibly on Broadway car; reward. Thomas J. Gere, The Wellington, Pine st.

Found.

DOG—Found, St. Bernard dog; color lemon and white. 2800 De Kalb st.

FOUND—At the Grand-Leader, Mme. Eoline Stanley's Toilet Preparations; sure cure for pimples, blackheads, wrinkles and other defects in the complexion; call and see Mme. Eoline Stanley personally.

WALLPAPER cleaned; look like new; $1 per room. World's Fair Cleaning Co., 2808 Clark av.

GOLD AND SILVERWARE.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

"DOWNING" pays cash for old gold and silver, watch cases, jewelry, etc. Downing, 208 N. 7th.

OLD GOLD, JEWELRY, SILVER or diamonds; highest cash price paid by Wilkison, 2218 Franklin av.

PLATING and repairing silverware, gold plating watches and jewelry; cash for old gold, silver and platinum. Downing & Co., platers, 208 N. 7th st.

MINING.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

MINING—All about the Big Muddy coal fields in Williamson County, free. Ad. D. G. Smith, Real Estate Agent, Marion, Ill.

ROOMS FOR RENT.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

ADAMS ST., 2212—Nicely furnished rooms; gents or light housekeeping.

ADAMS ST., 2208—Neatly furnished hall room for rent.

BACHELOR wants couple to take part of 7-room house; large yard; good locality; will board, if agreeable. Ad. C 42, Post-Dispatch.

BELL AV., 3441—Nicely furnished front room; so. ex.; all conveniences.

BELL AV., 4613—One second-story front room; so. ex.; for gentlemen.

BERNARD ST., 2727—Neatly furnished 2d-story front room for light housekeeping.

BISMARCK ST., 2207—Neatly furnished room, suitable for 2 young men.

BREMEN AV., 1425—Neatly furnished rooms for light housekeeping.

BROADWAY, 710 S.—Neatly furnished rooms for light housekeeping; from $1 to $1.25.

BROADWAY, 513 S.—Clean, nicely furnished large and small rooms; $1.25, $1.50 per week.

BROADWAY, 800 S.—Nicely furnished room for two gentlemen.

BROADWAY, 1237 N.—Front rooms, furnished for light housekeeping; $1.50, $1.75 and $2; hall room, 75c.

CALIFORNIA AV., 3108A—Nicely furnished or unfurnished room for lady or gent.

CARR ST., 1721—Large, sunny front rooms, furnished complete for housekeeping; cook stove, laundry and all conveniences.

CARR ST., 1720—One large furnished front room, suitable for man and wife or gents; gas, bath, all conveniences.

CARR ST., 1909—Nicely furnished room; complete for light housekeeping; all conveniences; reasonable.

CARR ST., 2033—Furnished room suitable for lady in home of widow; no other roomers.

CARR ST., 1529—Nicely furnished front room, suitable for two gentlemen or couple.

CASS AV., 3617—Two nicely furnished rooms; near Grand av.; single or couple.

CHAMBERS ST., 1141—Neatly furnished front room, so. ex.; gas, bath.

CHANNING AV., 709 N.—Cor. Lucas—Newly furnished rooms for gents or ladies employed.

CHANNING AV., 709 N.—Cor. Lucas—A parlor with bedroom and kitchen for housekeeping; 1st floor; reasonable.

CHANNING AV., 508A N.—Two furnished rooms, well furnished; all conveniences.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1114—Elegant front parlor, gents or couple; connecting rooms for housekeeping, very cheap; other rooms.

CHOUTEAU AV., 3144—Two large connecting front rooms, nicely furnished, for housekeeping; $2.50 per week.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1332 AND 1304—Nice furnished rooms; housekeeping; $1.75; also second-floor hallroom, $1.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1016—Nicely furnished 2d story front; also 2 connecting rooms; $2.50 weekly; housekeeping.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1233—Furnished rooms, gents or housekeeping.

CHOUTEAU AV., 3138—Nice, large room furnished for housekeeping; $1.25 per week.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1421—Nicely furnished front rooms; for gentlemen or couple; gas and bath; also single rooms.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1105A—One furnished room for two gentlemen.

CHOUTEAU AV., 944—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, or gentlemen; 1st and 2d floors; $1.50 up.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1334—Nicely furnished rooms, gents or housekeeping; one front room, unfur.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1457—Three large unfurnished rooms; water, bath and rear porch.

CLARK AV., 3115—Four rooms, with water; rent $10.

CLARK AV., 2120—Furnished rooms, for gents or light housekeeping.

CLARK AV., 2717—Nicely furnished parlor and bath; all conveniences; home comforts; cheap.

CLARK AV., 3117A—Nicely furnished or unfurnished room.

CLARK AV., 2204—Furnished rooms; gents or housekeeping; $1, $2 week.

CLIFTON PL., 3133B—Large furnished front room, south and east ex.; private family adults; suitable for gentlemen; modern house.

COMPTON AV., 717 N.—Furnished second-story front and connecting rooms, for gents or housekeeping.

COMPTON AV., 915 N.—Lady having flat would rent front and connecting room, furnished for housekeeping, gents or couple; terms reasonable.

COOK AV., 4559—Large alcove front and second rooms, nicely furnished; bath same floor; private family; references exchanged.

COOK AV., 3650—Nicely furnished room for one or two gentlemen; all conveniences.

COOK AV., 4045—Nicely furnished room; reasonable.

COOK AV., 3904—Newly furnished rooms; hot bath; for gentlemen.

COZENS AV., 3736—One nicely furnished front room for one or two gentlemen, convenient to Easton and Channing av. cars.

DAYTON ST., 2723—Two connecting furnished rooms, newly papered and carpeted; light housekeeping or otherwise.

DAYTON ST., 2706—Nicely furnished room; so. ex.; hot bath and all convs.; private family.

DE SOTO AV., 1907—Near water tower; 3 large rooms and laundry, $10.

DELMAR BL., 3850—Nicely furnished 2d-story room; southern exposure, in refined private family.

DELMAR BL., 3884—Nicely furnished rooms; with board.

DELMAR AV., 5153—Nicely furnished rooms; hot water; heat; so. and east. exp.; for gentleman; private family.

DICKSON ST., 2701—Nicely furnished large front room for 2; private family.

DICKSON ST., 3057—Furnished second story front room.

DICKSON ST., 3025—Furnished room; hot bath and gas; ½-block from 2 car lines, for 2 gents or a married couple.

DILLON ST., 1025—Nicely furnished room; all conveniences; southern exposure; rent reasonable.

DOLMAN ST., 1738—Newly furnished large front room, second story; bath; for two gentlemen; reasonable.

DOLMAN ST., 1718—3 rooms, first floor; dining room and kitchen in basement; bath and w. c.; stable horse and buggy.

EASTON AV., 3509—Front room; furnished for two young men; without board.

EASTON AV., 3055—One well-furnished light room, hot and cold baths; gentlemen.

EASTON AV., 3053—Furnished front room for housekeeping; also hallroom; so. ex.; reasonable.

EASTON AV., 3107—Large 2d floor front room; furnished.

EASTON AV., 2921—Small furnished rooms; for gents; $1 and up.

EASTON AV., 3005—1 large room and kitchen, connected; with new cooking stove.

EASTON AV., 2939—Nicely furnished rooms in Mexican family; good opportunity to learn Spanish.

EIGHTH ST., 835 S.—Two nice rooms.

EIGHTEENTH ST., 1023 N.—Nicely furnished front and back parlors; private family; gentlemen only.

EIGHTH ST., 1112 S.—Nicely furnished hall room, bath, $1 per week; between Chouteau and Hickory.

EIGHTEENTH ST., 2306 N.—Second floor rooms; rent, $7.

EIGHTEENTH ST., 1020 N.—Nicely furnished front room; on second floor; for gents.

EIGHTEENTH ST., 2526 S.—Nicely furnished light room; reasonable; corner Sidney st.

ELEVENTH ST., 1410 S.—Neatly furnished rooms; for roomers or light housekeeping; rent reas.

ELEVENTH ST., 304 N.—An elegant furnished front parlor, with use of piano; rent reas.

ELEVENTH ST., 703½ N.—Nicely furnished rooms; just through house cleaning; $1 and up.

ELEVENTH ST., 16 N.—Furnished and unfurnished rooms for gentlemen or light housekeeping.

ELEVENTH ST., 3728 N.—Furnished room for light housekeeping.

ELLIOT AV., 2422—Nicely furnished front room; only mother and daughter; reas.; gents.

ELLIOT AV., 1301—Corner of 2700 Dickson—Front parlor; two second-floor rooms; light housekeeping.

EUCLID AV., 702A—3 unfurnished front rooms with bath; $8.

EUGENIA ST., 2208—Furnished rooms for housekeeping.

EUGENIA ST., 2102—Front furnished room for employed married couple or four gents.

EUGENIA ST., 2830—Nicely furnished rooms; bath, hot and cold; convenient to cars; rent reasonable; board if desired.

ROOMS FOR RENT.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

EUGENIA ST., 2023—Within half block of Union Station, five rooms; rent $10.

EVANS AV., 4026A—Furnished rooms; all conveniences.

EVANS AV., 3507—Furnished rooms; single or en suite; southern exposure; half block to Easton and Grand av. cars.

EVANS AV., 4024A—Handsomely furnished second floor room; modern conveniences; private family; use of parlor.

EWING AV., 817 N.—Large front, 2d floor; also other room; very reasonable.

FIFTEENTH ST., 2817 N.—Two rooms; first floor; $7

FIFTEENTH ST., 2313 N.—2 rooms and kitchen, 1st floor, $8.

FIFTEENTH ST., 421 S.—Three rooms; large yard; rent reasonable; inquire within.

FINNEY AV., 3732—Nice light basement to colored laundress in exchange for work.

FINNEY AV., 4133—4 or 5 rooms; housekeeping; partly furnished if desired.

FINNEY AV., 4248A—Furnished room, family of 2; light housekeeping if desired; bath.

FINNEY AV., 3720A—Second-story front, elegantly furnished; private family; no other roomers.

FOURTEENTH ST., 1410 N.—Two nice rooms on first floor, with yard; $5.

FOURTEENTH ST., 22 S.—Three fine, large rooms; newly papered; $11. Farrar, 715 Chestnut st.

FRANKLIN AV., 615—Neatly furnished rooms, $1.50 per week up; side entrance.

FRANKLIN AV., 1532—Nicely furnished rooms; $1.25 per week, for men, over McKinney's bakery.

FRANKLIN AV., 2845—1 neatly furnished room for 1 or 2 gentlemen.

FRANKLIN AV., 2905—Neatly furnished front and other rooms; also unfurnished.

FRANKLIN AV., 2633—Neatly furnished room for two young ladies or couple; private family.

FRANKLIN AV., 2100—Furnished front rooms for light housekeeping; $1.50 and $2.

FRANKLIN AV., 1637—Nicely furnished front room, on second floor, for two gents.

FRANKLIN AV., 2847—Handsomely furnished front room; southern exposure; also two unfurnished rooms and bath.

FRANKLIN AV., 2740—One neatly furnished front room.

FRANKLIN AV., 1903—Nicely furnished room; suit 2 gents; $1.50.

FRANKLIN AV., 3428—2 connecting rooms; furnished complete for housekeeping; also small room; southern exposure.

FRANKLIN AV., 3406—One or two large second story front rooms; newly furnished; every convenience; small grown family; board if desired.

FRANKLIN AV., 2227—Three large rooms and kitchen, 3d floor, $7 and $8 per month.

FRANKLIN AV., 3041A—Nicely furnished rooms; modern conveniences.

FRANKLIN AV., 1622—Nicely furnished rooms for four gents, 75c each per week, in private family; southern exposure.

FRANKLIN AV., 523—3 rooms; 1105 Victor, 3 rooms, $7. Apply store, 519 Franklin.

FRANKLIN AV., 2218—Four large rooms; all conveniences; $12 per month; newly papered.

FRANKLIN AV., 417 — Five rooms, with hall, closets and water; cheap.

FRANKLIN AV., 2925—Furnished front room for housekeeping; rent reas.; so. ex.; bath.

FRANKLIN AV., 3422—Neatly furnished rooms, single or en suite; modern conveniences.

FRANKLIN AV., 1523-5—Rear; sets of rooms; $5 and $6; all conveniences.

GAMBLE ST., 2916—Neatly furnished large front room; 2d floor; 4 windows; light and airy.

GAMBLE ST., 2715—Furnished front room; all conveniences; southern exposure; for gentlemen.

GAMBLE ST., 2808—Two connecting or three rooms and bath, suitable for light housekeeping.

GAMBLE ST., 2705—One or two furnished rooms.

GAMBLE ST., 2821—Elegant furnished room; also for housekeeping; all conveniences.

GARRISON AV., 722 N.—Large, elegant, newly furnished rooms with or without board; every convenience; filtered water, telephone, hot water bath; single or en suite; reas.

GARRISON AV., 1207 N.—Nicely furnished front room; bath and gas; private family.

GARRISON AV., 1016 N.—Two newly furnished front rooms; gentlemen or ladies; bath and all conveniences; with home of widow.

GRACE AV., 3526—Four rooms, first floor, with large yard and room for horse and buggy.

GRAND AV., 2 N.—Large front and rear rooms, bright and cheerful; nicely furnished; single or together; terms reasonable.

GRATTAN ST., 1219—Two large unfurnished front rooms.

HICKORY ST., 1820—Two nicely furnished rooms; complete for housekeeping; with bath; so. ex.

HICKORY ST., 1211—2 rooms and bath; furnished for light housekeeping; $2 week.

HICKORY ST., 715—Nicely furnished or unfurnished rooms, suitable for gents; low rent.

HOWARD ST., 2214—Four rooms; 2d floor; front and side entrance; with or without stable.

JEFFERSON AV., 1645 S.—Front rooms with alcove; also back parlor; nicely furnished; all conv.

JEFFERSON AV., 417A S.—Elegantly furnished 2d-story front rooms; bath, cheap.

JEFFERSON AV., 1657 S.—Nicely furnished 2d-story front room for 2 gents.

JEFFERSON AV., 229 S.—Large, light, neatly furnished rooms.

JEFFERSON AV., 217 S.—3 rooms, light housekeeping or for gents.

LACLEDE AV., 4316—Two or three unfurnished rooms; kitchen, gas range.

LACLEDE AV., 2941—Nicely furnished 2d-story front room, hot and cold water; so. ex.

LACLEDE AV., 3411—Nicely furnished 2d story front and other rooms; very reasonable; every con.

LACLEDE AV., 3427—Second-story front and back, furnished for light housekeeping; hot bath, gas, range.

LACLEDE AV., 3627—Nicely furnished room with bath and use of parlor for 2 ladies employed; references exchanged.

LACLEDE AV., 3706—Neatly furnished front room.

LAFAYETTE AV., bet. Jefferson and Missouri—A beautiful suite of front rooms on 2d floor; southern exposure; in private family.

LAFAYETTE AV., 2620—Light, well furnished rooms; hot bath and all modern convs.; Lafayette Park district.

LAFAYETTE AV., 2738—Furnished front room; for one or two gents.

LA SALLE ST., 921—Nicely furnished room and 1 unfurnished room; southern exposure.

LAWTON AV., 3205—Small room, nicely furnished.

LAWTON AV., 2932—Nicely furnished rooms; gents only.

LAWTON AV., 2917—One nicely furnished room for rent.

LAWTON AV., 3324—Newly furnished rooms, bath and all conveniences; rent reas.

LAWTON AV., 3404—One large second-story front room, in private family.

LAWTON AV., 3340—Elegantly furnished room for one or two gentlemen; modern conveniences.

LEFFINGWELL AV., 1425 N.—Nicely furnished room, gents or housekeeping; bath.

LEFFINGWELL AV., 1027 N.—Two beautiful sunny front and back rooms for housekeeping; southern and eastern ex.; detached house; hot bath; $11 month.

LEONARD AV., 909—Newly papered and nicely furnished rooms, with bath; convenient to cars; private family; terms reasonable.

LEONARD AV., 929 N.—Two connecting furnished rooms; near 3 lines of cars.

LINDELL AV., 3571—Nicely furnished front room, suitable for couple or two gentlemen; cheap rent.

LINCOLN AV., 3802—Nicely furnished front room; young widow's home; no other roomers.

LINDELL AV., 3501—Newly furnished rooms; reasonable.

LOCUST ST., 2614—Nicely furnished rooms; all conveniences.

LOCUST ST., 2200—Nicely furnished rooms; board if desired.

LOCUST ST., 2938—Second parlor; furnished; to one or two gentlemen; other small rooms.

LOCUST ST., 1431—Front rooms; so. ex.; all conveniences; in connection, 1425 Locust st., as a rooming house; new furniture; modern convs.

LOCUST ST., 3026—Nicely furnished rooms; heat, bath; also hall room.

LOCUST ST., 1711—Neatly furnished room; light and airy; 4 windows; modern conveniences.

LOCUST ST., 2636—One nicely furnished room, without board.

LOCUST ST., 2808—Furnished rooms; single or en suite; terms reasonable.

LOCUST ST., 3048—Newly furnished 2d-story front room, suitable 3 gentlemen, also other rooms; detached house; hot water; bath, gas; home cooking; home comforts.

ROOMS FOR RENT.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

LOCUST ST., 1121 AND 1122—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping from $1.50 up.

LOCUST ST., 2612—Large second story front rooms; all conveniences.

LOCUST ST., 3041—Several desirable well furnished 2d-floor rooms; every conv.; private family.

LUCKY ST., 4353—2d-story room, neatly furnished, with hot and cold bath, kept in good order for 2 gentlemen; cool for summer; quiet neighborhood.

LUCAS AV., 3224—Newly and nicely furnished front and back rooms; furnace heat; hot and cold water, gas, bath.

LUCAS AV., 2932—Neatly furnished 2d-story room for light housekeeping; hot bath; reas.

LUCAS AV., 3139—Large third-story back room for light housekeeping.

LUCAS AV., 3215—Second-story front and other rooms; all conveniences.

LUCAS AV., 2847—Beautiful rooms, lovely front, for two gents, in modern house; reas.

LUCAS AV., 2702—Second floor front and other rooms for light housekeeping; terms reasonable.

LUCAS AV., 418—The Inn—Rooms nightly, 15c to 25c; weekly, $1 to $1.50; baths free.

LUCAS AV., 3334—Neatly furnished 2d-story front room.

LUCAS AV., 3112—Nicely furnished 3d-story back room, housekeeping, lady or couple.

LUCAS AV., 2726—Beautiful 2d-story front alcove room; housekeeping, also 2 connecting rooms.

LUCAS AV., 3326—A delightful furnished front room; for one or two gentlemen; all modern conveniences; strictly private.

LUCAS AV., 2734—Large unfurnished parlors and other rooms, for light housekeeping; reasonable.

MADISON ST., 1116A—Newly furnished room; so. ex.; bath, etc.

MAFFITT AV., 4763—Two newly furnished rooms, second floor; single or en suite; house with large verandas, stands elevated in open block, with clear, breezy atmosphere; a delightful place for summer; couple or gentlemen.

MANCHESTER AV., 3311—Three rooms, with water; rent $5.

MARKET ST., 1235—Large front room, also small rooms, $1.50 and upwards; southern exposure.

MARKET ST., 2361—Furnished rooms for gents; terms reasonable.

M'NAIR AV., 2713—Three rooms with laundry; $8 per month.

MORGAN ST., 2000—Up-stairs—All front rooms; costly furnished; convenient to down-town; reasonable.

MORGAN ST., 1807A—Nicely furnished room.

MORGAN ST., 2814—Two nicely furnished front rooms.

MORGAN ST., 2735—Connecting nicely furnished housekeeping rooms; all conveniences; gas stove; permanent couple; cheap.

MORGAN ST., 2747—2 connecting front rooms for gentlemen or light housekeeping, 1 front and back; $15 per month; corner house.

MORGAN ST., 4644—2 furnished or unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping.

MORGAN ST., 2712A—Neatly furnished rooms for couple or light housekeeping; southern exposure.

MORGAN ST., 3105—Nicely furnished front or back room; all convs.; terms reasonable.

MORGAN ST., 1735—Large, furnished front room; $1 per week; hot and cold water.

MORGAN ST., 2651—Second-story front, furnished for housekeeping, 2 rooms, 2d floor, partially furnished.

MORGAN ST., 2631—2 large unfurnished front rooms suitable for light housekeeping; rent low.

MORGAN ST., 2931—Second-story front; other rooms; southern exposure; every convenience; yard; very reasonable.

MORGAN ST., 3322—Furnished rooms; good board; all conveniences; moderate terms.

MORGAN ST., 3320—Own house; too large; will rent 2d floor unfurnished; call forenoon; all con.

MORGAN ST., 3944—One nicely furnished room, with private family; all conv.; gentlemen only.

MORGAN ST., 2811—Two large connecting 2d-story rooms; completely furnished for housekeeping; reasonable.

MORGAN ST., 4007—Furnished 2d story room; all conveniences; private family.

MORGAN ST., 2206—2d story front room; furnished for housekeeping; also hall room.

MORGAN ST., 2842—Nicely furnished rooms; clean; new paper; gas; so. ex.

MOUND ST., 1011—Nicely furnished front room, for gentlemen and housekeeping; private family.

NEWCOMB PL., 4735—Near Easton—5 rooms, bath, $14; also 3 rooms; keys 4737.

NINETEENTH ST., 1103 N.—Room for light housekeeping; all conveniences; gents only.

NINETEENTH ST., 918 N.—Nicely furnished rooms, for gentlemen.

NORTH PARK PL., 1419—2 nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping or gentlemen.

NORTH MARKET ST., 1518—Two rooms and kitchen; first floor; $9.

O'FALLON ST., 1904—Furnished or unfurnished rooms.

OLIVE ST., 2714—Nicely furnished front and back parlor; other rooms, with privilege of housekeeping.

OLIVE ST., 2637—Nicely furnished connecting parlors, also other rooms.

OLIVE ST., 2829—Second floor furnished front and adjoining rooms; light housekeeping.

OLIVE ST., 2305—Elegantly furnished 2d-story front room, also connecting back rooms; so. ex.

OLIVE ST., 2325—Two rooms; light housekeeping; no children; so. ex.; all conveniences.

OLIVE ST., 2735—One large room for light housekeeping; $9.

OLIVE ST., 2736—Elegant furnished parlors and 2d floor front; bath; gents preferred; reasonable terms.

OLIVE ST., 4047A—Pleasant southern exposed rooms, furnished or unfurnished, single or en suite; small private family.

OLIVE ST., 2102—Elegantly furnished parlor; inside rooms; hot bath; reasonable; convenient Union Station.

OLIVE ST., 3654—Very desirable front room; newly furnished; private family; references exchanged; gentlemen.

OLIVE ST., 3528—Nicely furnished rooms; every convenience.

OLIVE ST., 2100—Steam heat; hot baths; front rooms; over cafe; entrance 21st.

OLIVE ST., 2730—Large, handsomely fur. front rooms, 2d floor; private family; $1.50. Hind.

OLIVE ST., 2321—Nicely furnished connecting room for housekeeping, also other rooms; so. ex.; reasonable.

OLIVE ST., 2624A—Handsomely furnished room; completely furnished for housekeeping.

OLIVE ST., 1807—Second floor front room, furnished. Call after 5 o'clock Sunday.

OLIVE ST., 2924—Small furnished room; hot bath; $1 week; with or without board.

OLIVE ST., 2331—Two unfurnished rooms; 1st floor; water in rooms; bath; $8 month.

OLIVE ST., 2806—Furnished rooms, second floor, with or without light housekeeping; good party.

OLIVE ST., 3712A—Nicely furnished room, all conveniences; private family.

OLIVE ST., 3012—Nicely furnished front room, with all conv.

OLIVE ST., 1525—Connecting front and back parlor; separate entrance; also other large parlor, suitable for doctor's office or business purposes.

OLIVE ST., 2105—Rooms, single or ensuite; 1st floor; also one on 2d floor; hot bath; day or week.

OLIVE ST., 3669—Large, well-furnished 2d story front room; gentlemen only.

OLIVE ST., 1525—Having just moved in, front and back rooms on first, second and third floor; gentlemen or housekeeping.

OLIVE ST., 1815—Nicely furnished front rooms for light housekeeping, and other rooms; reasonable.

OLIVE ST., 1523—Second-story front room for gentlemen.

OLIVE ST., 2932—Handsomely furnished 2d story front, with dressing room; also small room.

OLIVE ST., 2124—Newly furnished front and single rooms, gas, hot bath, furnace heat, private family.

OLIVE ST., 1414—Nicely furnished rooms; bath and gas.

OLIVE ST., 1504—Comfortable furnished rooms, suitable for 2 or 3 gentlemen; $2.50 week.

OLIVE ST., 4126—Good 2d story room, with bath; for colored people.

PAGE BL., 3526—Well furnished rooms, for two; all conveniences; private family.

PAGE BL., 3880—Second-story front alcove room; newly furnished entire; hot bath; private family; for one or two gentlemen.

PAGE AV., 3524—Large front and adjoining room completely furnished; light housekeeping; reas.

PAPIN ST., 1432—One or two nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping.

PAPIN ST., 1717—Two nice furnished rooms for housekeeping; terms reasonable.

ROOMS FOR RENT.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

PAPIN ST., 1554—Corner 17th—Neatly furnished rooms; all conveniences; gents or housekeeping; reasonable.

PAPIN ST., 2331—One single room, $1.50; two rooms in center, $3 each. General Renting and Investment Co., 617 Chestnut st.

PAPIN ST., 1410—3 rooms, 3d floor, suitable for small family.

PARK AV., 1214—Nicely furnished front room; $1 per week.

PARK AV., 1806—Nicely furnished 2d floor front room for gents only.

PINE ST., 3006—2d and 3d-story front and other rooms, furnished; all conveniences; telephone; home cooking; gentlemen or married couple; reasonable.

PINE ST., 3006—2d and 3d story front and connecting rooms; furnace; all conveniences; telephone, home cooking; gentlemen or married couple; reasonable.

PINE ST., 2333—Furnished room; also rooms for light housekeeping; single or en suite; reasonable.

PINE ST., 3009—Large 2d story front; to one or several gentlemen; gas, hot bath.

PINE ST., 3206—Nicely furnished rooms.

PINE ST., 3220—Two neatly furnished rooms; light housekeeping if desired; 1st floor.

PINE ST., 822—Neatly furnished front rooms from $1.50 per week up; well heated.

PINE ST., 1612—Hall room and housekeeping; $1 week and up; bath and other conveniences.

PINE ST., 2125—Nicely furnished parlors and housekeeping rooms; reasonable terms.

PINE ST., 2333—Choice selection of furnished front rooms; $8 and $10; all conveniences.

PINE ST., 3306—Very desirable second story front room.

PINE ST., 3333—Two nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping; all conv.; terms reasonable.

PINE ST., 3551—Nicely furnished rooms; gentlemen only.

PINE ST., 2611—Nicely furnished rooms for gentlemen; one suitable for light housekeeping.

PINE ST., 1529—One newly furnished front room; home comfort; gas. E. Campbell.

PINE ST., 3022—Nicely furnished 2d-story front room and connecting room; hot bath, furnace, heat; reas.

PINE ST., 3204—Large furnished front room; all conveniences; also other rooms; reasonable; private family.

PINE ST., 913½—Newly furnished rooms; all modern conveniences; strangers and visiting merchants accommodated.

PINE ST., 2731—Nicely furnished rooms, with or without board.

PINE ST., 27331—Double parlors, suitable for dentist or doctor.

PINE ST., 2731—One room, suitable for 4 young men.

PINE ST., 2902—Furnished room for light housekeeping or gentlemen.

PINE ST., 2814—Neatly furnished front parlor; suitable for two gents; modern conveniences; reasonable.

PINE ST., 2652—Second-floor front room, large closet.

PINE ST., 2814—Furnished front room, third floor, complete for housekeeping; reasonable.

PINE ST., 3107—Nicely furnished 2d story front room for light housekeeping.

PINE ST., 3107—Elegantly furnished front room for housekeeping.

PINE ST., 3205—Well furnished room, second floor front; southern exposure; private family.

PINE ST., 1006A—Nicely furnished 2d-floor front room; also back rooms.

PINE ST., 3016—Newly furnished rooms, all conveniences; board if desired; home cooking; private family; pleasant home among congenial young folks; reasonable.

PINE ST., 2920—Nice home for gentleman; newly furnished front and other rooms.

RIDGE AV., 6136—3 rooms, bath and closet; $10; will be vacant 15th. Chas. H. Carter, 1021 Chestnut st.

ROOM—Nicely furnished large 2d-story front room, large grounds, delightful summer room; references; north Prairie, near St. Louis. Ad. M 150, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS—Two rooms, for light housekeeping, couple; Chestnut or Laclede, below Grand. Ad. B., 4459 Cozens av.

ROOMS—Elegantly furnished rooms, for couple; meals if desired. Ad. F 36, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM—Furnished room; all conveniences; gentlemen; references required; West End. Ad. P 181, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM—Fine, large 2d-story front room; hot bath; Morgan st., west of Taylor; Olive or Delmar car. Ad. O 40, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS—2 or 3 rooms, furnished or unfurnished, for light housekeeping in West End suburbs for man and wife. Ad. W 35, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM—Cook av., between Grand and Spring, well-furnished front room, 2 gents; rent reasonable. Ad. 1426 N. Grand.

ROOM—Furnished front room; gentlemen or couple. Ad. D 167, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM—If you are looking for nice clean room, come to 2839 Olive st.; terms reasonable.

ROOM—Well furnished room, all modern improvements; handy locality; 4500 west. Ad. Y 34, P.-D.

ROOM—Front room, for one or two gentlemen; central part; cars convenient; home of widow; modern in all respects. Ad. C 21, Post-Dis.

ROOM—Cook av., block west of Grand; furnished room; two gents; hot and cold bath; reas. Ad. 1426 N. Grand av.

ROOM—Handsomely furnished 2d-story front; so. ex.; hot bath; gas; widow's home. Ad. F 133, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS—Elegant suite of 2d story rooms; southern exposure; modern conveniences; refined family adults; suitable for gents or couple; on Delmar, near Vandeventer. Ad. E 169, Post-Dis.

ROOM—Nicely furnished 2d story front or back parlor; to nice couple; widow's house; bath and all conveniences. Ad. K 170, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM—Elegantly furnished front room; widow's home; no family; all modern conveniences. Ad. B 131, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS—$3 month, in advance, men only; no bad habits; clean beds and room, large room, 1 in bed, 4 in room, P. O. walking distance; good 10c and 15c meals half block; give particulars and reference. Ad. R 26, Post-Dispatch.

SACREMENTO AV., 4223—Furnished front room; private family; 2 gents or man and wife.

SARAH ST., 912 N.—Large furnished front connecting or single rooms; with bath; $2; privilege housekeeping.

SIXTH ST., 1401 N.—Nice, complete room for housekeeping; also one for gents, $1.25, $1.50.

SIXTH ST., 820 S.—Nicely furnished room for 1 or 2 gents.

SIXTEENTH ST., 1439½ N.—Two connecting completely furnished, nice housekeeping rooms, with cook stove, water, laundry, etc.; reas. and respectable.

SIXTEENTH ST., 817 N.—Neatly furnished front room for 2 gents or light housekeeping.

SOULARD ST., 1016—1 front furnished room for 1 or 2 gents or for light housekeeping.

ST. ANGE AV., 1103—One or two furnished rooms for gents or housekeeping.

ST. ANGE AV., 1302—Furnished front hall room; $1 weekly, $3 monthly.

ST. ANGE AV., 1312—Two unfurnished rooms, $6; couple, without children; furnished room for gents.

ST. LOUIS AV., 1454—Two rooms; first floor; $6.

ST. FERDINAND AV., 3907—Three rooms on first floor with or without stable.

SPRUCE ST., 1311—Furnished rooms, for gentlemen; widow's home; no children; central.

STODDARD ST., 2802—Newly furnished rooms for light housekeeping or gentlemen.

STODDARD ST., 2842—Two rooms, furnished complete for light housekeeping; also back parlor for two gents or housekeeping.

STODDARD ST., 2712—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping; bath; water in kitchen.

THERESA AV., 503 N.—Furnished rooms.

THE ROSEMORE—European hotel; opens today; newly furnished throughout; for gentlemen only; gas, steam heat, hot and cold baths; well lighted; reasonable; call and inspect our rooms. H. B. Hildebrand, proprietor; downtown location. 103 N. 13th st.

THERESA AV., 521—One large unfurnished room; very reasonable.

THIRTEENTH ST., 1013 S.—Nicely furnished room, cheap.

TWELFTH ST., 1027 S.—Handsomely furnished front room; modern; very reasonable; see it.

TWENTY-SECOND ST., 209 S.—Nicely furnished rooms; gents or light housekeeping; $1.50 week upwards.

UNIVERSITY ST., 2720—3 rooms, 1st floor; $9.

VON VERSEN AV., 5901—Elegant 6-room apartment; Olive st. car passes door.

WAGONER PL., 1914—Elegant 6-room modern residence; all conveniences; $35; small family adults.

WASH ST., 2313—Large furnished front room, second floor; southern exposure; for gents; reas.

ROOMS FOR RENT.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

WASH ST., 1811—Nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping; reasonable price.

WASH ST., 1801—Nicely furnished front room, for gents and housekeeping; hall room; very reas.

WASHINGTON AV., 1501—Lovely furnished front rooms; $1.50 to $3 per week; all conv.

WASHINGTON AV., 1523—Second-story front; also other rooms; housekeeping; $1.25 and $1.50 week.

WASHINGTON AV., 2644—Neatly furnished front parlor with gas for 1 or 2 gents.

WASHINGTON AV., 3305—Large, pleasant 2d story front room; housekeeping; southern exposure; conveniences; reasonable.

WASHINGTON AV., 2900—Pleasant rooms for summer; gentlemen only; refs. required.

WASHINGTON AV., 2639—Room for gents, neatly furnished, $2; housekeeping, $2 up.

WASHINGTON AV., 2630—Elegantly furnished 2d story front and other rooms; completely furnished for housekeeping or gentlemen; $5 month up; references exchanged.

WASHINGTON AV., 3227—Nicely furnished rooms; single or en suite; gents only.

WASHINGTON AV., 2630—Well furnished double parlors; splendid location for physician, dentist or other respectable profession; also very desirable rooms for housekeepers or gentlemen; modern convs.; accommodations first class; light and roomy detached house; hot bath, gas, etc., on best car line in city; ref. exchanged.

WASHINGTON AV., 3142—Nicely furnished rooms, for gentlemen only.

WASHINGTON AV., 3907—Nicely furnished 2d story front and other rooms; private family.

WASHINGTON AV., 2809—Furnished and unfurnished rooms; reasonable.

WASHINGTON AV., 2706—Nicely furnished front room, also hall room for gentlemen.

WASHINGTON AV., 1424—Neatly furnished 1st and 2d floor front and back rooms; gentlemen or housekeeping.

WASHINGTON AV., 2232—New, well furnished rooms, large and small; all conveniences; board optional; reasonable.

WEST BELLE PL., 4190—Large, handsome front room; 2d floor; couple or two gentlemen; refs.

WEST BELLE PL., 4056—Nicely furnished room convenient to Suburban and Washington av. cars.

WEST BELLE PL., 4247—Nicely furnished second story front room; all conv.; private family.

WHITTIER ST., 1027—Elegantly furnished 2d story front room; private family; new and moderate; no other roomers; use of parlor and piano; gents.

ROOMS WITH BOARD.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

BELL AV., 3019—Room with board; all conveniences; terms reasonable.

BELL AV., 3439—Handsomely furnished front room; all modern conveniences; suitable for one or two; excellent board.

BELL AV., 3130—Nice unfurnished rooms, large closets; all conveniences; good table; nice location.

BLAINE AV., 3672—One or two furnished connecting front rooms; first-class board; all conveniences; reasonable price; handy to three car lines.

BOARDING—Can accommodate few desirable boarders; delightful summer home; beautiful grounds, etc.; Benton; convenient to steam and street railway. Ad. E 37, Post-Dispatch.

BOARDING—Will give magnificent room, best board, opposite Forest Park entrance; this is an offer it would be well to investigate; gentleman only. Ad. G 21, Post-Dispatch.

BOARDING—Strictly private family; vicinity of Grand av., will board two gentlemen who will appreciate a home. Ad. H 32, Post-Dispatch.

BOARDING—Improved St. James' Hotel offers low rates on American or European plans.

BOARDING—For one or two gentlemen, two second story front rooms; single or en suite; 5300 west, overlooking Forest Park; all conveniences; telephone, large lawn; room for horse and vehicle if desired; convenient to 4 car lines. Ad. R 49, Post-Dispatch.

BOARDING—If you want a nice room in modern house, with good board, where you can feel at home, call 3621 Folsom av.

BOARDING—Beautifully furnished room; with or without board; in private family; West End; convenient to Olive and Delmar av. cars.; suitable for gentlemen or couple. Ad. C 24, P.-D.

BOARDING—Party starting a new home would like to communicate with couples desiring a nice place, with good board and all modern conveniences; rates reasonable to gentlemen or couples. Ad. K 16, Post-Dispatch.

CALIFORNIA AV., 1721—Nicely furnished room; private family; bath; suitable two gents; with or without board.

CASS AV., 1005—Couple will board child; must be over 1 year old.

CHANNING AV., 703 N.—Corner Lucas; two nicely furnished rooms; convenient; private family; board if desired; very reasonable.

CHESTNUT ST., 3101—Furnished rooms with board; all conveniences.

CHESTNUT ST., 2923—$5 week; excellent board and room for 2; all conveniences; own home.

CLARK AV., 2715—Good rooms and excellent board for gentlemen, $3.50 and $4 per week.

COMPTON AV., 1115 N.—Nicely furnished room, all convs., with or without board; terms reas.

COOK AV., 3673—Front and connecting rooms, single or en suite, with board; reasonable.

COOK AV., 3656—Nicely furnished front room; private family; good board; all convs.

COOK AV., 3736—Large second or third-story front room and board; modern; to employed; private.

COOK AV., 3659—Nicely furnished room, with excellent board; table boarders also accommodated.

COOK AV., 3402—Corner of Chaning av.; front room with board for two; private family; southern exposure; hot bath; $30.

COOK AV., 4068—Second-story room; excellent table; employed preferred; terms reasonable.

COOK AV., 3931—Elegant room and board for couple or gents; service first-class.

COOK AV., 3842—Comfortably furnished room, with good board, for 1 or 2 gentelmen.

DAYTON ST., 2732—One large furnished room, with or without board.

DAYTON ST., 2824A—Newly furnished rooms. so. ex.; gentlemen; private family; board if desired.

DELMAR BL., 5147—Nicely furnished room, fine location; modern house; steam heated; gas, bath; good table board; private family; no children.

DELMAR BL., 3898—Large front room, extra board, 2 or 3 gents.

DELMAR AV., 3950—Large 2d-story rooms and single rooms with board, for gents; ref. ex.

DELMAR BL., 3856—First-class rooms and board; in private family; references exchanged.

DELMAR BL., 3891—Second-story front, with board; southern exposure; two gentlemen or couple; desirable.

DELMAR BL., 4243—Handsomely furnished south and back room; superior board.

DICKSON ST., 2906—Nicely furnished second-story front room for two gents, with all conveniences; hot and cold water; private family; with or without board.

EASTON AV., 3035—Two furnished rooms, second floor, or light housekeeping, for gents; board if desired; all conveniences.

EASTON AV., 4040B—Nicely furnished front room, with board; two gents; call.

EASTON AV., 3045—Newly furnished front and back parlor; southern exposure; board if desired.

EIGHTEENTH ST., 824 N.—Room with board for gentlemen; $3 week each.

EIGHTH ST., 830 N. (East St. Louis)—Furnished front room; with board if desired; modern conveniences.

EUGENIA ST., 2021—Furnished rooms; ½-block from Union Station; day or week boarders.

FAIR AV., 4253—Nicely furnished front rooms; board if desired; home cooking; private family.

FINNEY AV., 3803—Nice second-story, southern-exposed room and board.

FINNEY AV., 3654—Large, pleasant front and conecting rooms, nicely furnished; good board; reasonable.

FINNEY AV., 3707—Board and room; single or en suite; furnished or unfurnished; gentlemen; private family; reference required.

FINNEY AV., 3670—Second-story front, with board; gentlemen, couple or ladies employed.

FOLSOM AV., 3621—Nice, large room; southern exposure; newly furnished; modern house; good board; private family; gents or refined couple.

FOREST AV., 2001—Benton Station—Front room for 2, and board; small family.

FRANKLIN AV., 3022A—Two furnished front rooms, board if desired, in private family; refs.

FRANKLIN AV., 3117—Nicely furnished rooms, with board, for two gents; references.

FRANKLIN AV., 2839—Nicely furnished room, with first-class board for two; $3.50 a week each.

FRANKLIN AV., 3431—Handsome well furnished 2d-floor front room with alcove; so. ex.; home cooking; splendid grounds; extra room if desired.

GAMBLE ST., 2628—Nicely furnished room with or without board.

GARRISON AV., 613 N.—Small hall room; gentleman; good table board.

ROOMS WITH BOARD.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

GAMBLE ST., 2822—Large 3d floor furnished room, for 4 or 6 gents; $1 week each, also hall room; board if desidered.

GRATTAN ST., 1021—Furnished room, with or without board; private family.

GREER AV., 3820—Two desirable rooms; 2d floor; southern exposure; with or without board, in small family; no children; references given and required.

GRAND AV., 2539 N.—Neatly furnished front room, with or without board, also large barn.

GRAND AV., 1813 N.—Neatly furnished rooms with first-class board.

HICKORY ST., 1812—Nicely furnished second-story front room, suitable for two gents; board; hot bath, gas.

LA SALLE ST., 1827—First-class room and board for one gentleman, in first-class neighborhood, $15 per month.

LAWTON AV., 2913—2 nice rooms with or without board; home cooking.

LAFAYETTE AV., 2002—Nicely furnished room, with board; opposite Lafayette Park; appointments first-class.

LEONARD AV., 616 N.—Newly furnished second-floor front room, with board; widow's home; no children; location west; reasonable.

LEONARD AV., 1120—Nicely furnished room; all convs., with or without board.

LINDELL BL., 3926—Elegantly furnished connecting rooms, with board; will rent separate or en suite; everything 1st-class.

LOCUST ST., 3200-3202—Beautiful and newly furnished rooms; all convs.; excellent board.

LOCUST ST., 3032—Neatly furnished large rooms, desirable board; southern exposure; couple or gentlemen.

LOCUST ST., 2930—Large double, single, second or third floor rooms, with board. Kinloch C 738.

LOCUST ST., 3004—Nicely furnished rooms, with board; good table; terms reasonable.

LOCUST ST., 2208—Nicely furnished room; with or without board; heat, gas and bath.

LOCUST ST., 1420—Nicely furnished rooms; steam heat; hot bath; with or without board.

LOCUST ST., 1714—Second-floor front and other desirable rooms; with excellent table board.

LOCUST ST., 3107—Nicely furnished rooms, single or en suite; good board.

LOCUST ST., 2700—Nicely furnished room with board for two; reasonable, with all con.

LOCUST ST., 2131—Handsomely furnished rooms; steam heat; first-class board.

LOCUST ST., 3119—Nicely furnished room, with board, for two; references.

LOCUST ST., 3142-44—Desirable rooms; all conveniences; superior board.

LOCUST ST., 2822—Nicely furnished front room with good board; gas, hot bath.

LOCUST ST., 2807—Large, nicely furnished, 2d-story front with alcove; so. ex.; excellent table.

LOCUST ST., 2741—Nicely furnished room, hot bath, clean linen every day; excellent table; reasonable.

LOCUST ST., 2631—Nicely furnished parlor bedroom; southern and eastern exposure; with excellent board.

LOCUST ST., 2309—Nicely furnished rooms with or without board.

LOCUST ST., 2208—Nicely furnished rooms with or without board; gas, bath, heat.

LOCUST ST., 2634—Nicely furnished rooms with superior board and attention; convenient to business.

LOCUST ST., 2620—Pleasant, well furnished room; so. ex.; good board.

LOCUST ST., 3039—Handsomely furnished room for gentlemen; good board; home comforts; terms reas.

LOCUST ST., 2936—Furnished room, with board; hot and cold bath; reasonable.

LOCUST ST., 1404—Pretty front rooms; excellent table; good attention; location central. Call and investigate.

LUCAS AV., 3312—Wanted, one or two young men, roomers or boarders, for neatly furnished room, second floor.

LUCAS AV., 3416—Large second-story front room, handsomely furnished; first-class table board.

LUCAS AV., 3517—Desirable room and board, at Hawley's.

LUCAS AV., 3439—Second-story front connecting rooms, with board; reasonable.

LUCAS AV., 3206A—Rooms, with or without board; gents preferred.

LUCAS AV., 2847—Beautiful rooms, first-class table board; good service; also roommate.

LUCAS AV., 2924—Handsomely furnished second-story front; home cooking; $4 week; all convs.

LUCAS AV., 3307—Nice second-story front room, southern exposure; good board; very reasonable.

LUCAS AV., 3336—Nicely furnished rooms, with board; convenient to three car lines.

LUCAS AV., 2919—Elegantly furnished front rooms; so. ex.; best board; very reasonable.

LUCAS AV., 3213—Two rooms elegantly furnished, single or en suite, with board; furnace heat.

LUCAS AV., 3437—Nicely furnished rooms; good board; modern conveniences; reasonable; suitable for two.

LUCAS AV., 3311—Second-story front, with board; southern exposure; two gentlemen or couple.

LUCAS AV., 3414—Desirable rooms, well-furnished; hot bath; first-class table board.

LUCAS AV., 2823—Front room, board, private family; all new furniture; home cooking; for two gents or couple.

M'PHERSON AV., 4060—Furnished second-story room; southern exposure, with board; private family.

M'PHERSON AV., 4245—Private family will accommodate two with apartments and board; references.

M'PHERSON AV., 4146—Two adjoining front rooms, second floor; private family; with board.

MISSISSIPPI AV., 1217—Nicely furnished room, with board; all conveniences; reasonable.

MISSOURI AV., 1740—Large, delightful rooms for gents; private family; board house surrounding.

MISSOURI AV., 1619—Elegant furnished rooms and board, fronting Lafayette Park.

MORGAN ST., 3537—Corner Grand and Morgan; first-class boarding house; large yard; near cars.

MORGAN ST., 3907—Rooms with or without board, 2 nice, well furnished rooms; modern conveniences; best of board; small private family.

MORGAN ST., 3500 — A beautiful large 2d floor room; handsomely furnished; every convenience and excellent table; choicest location; references required.

MORGAN ST., 3422—Desirable room, second floor, with board; single room; reasonable.

MORGAN ST., 2822—Splendidly furnished rooms in private family; board if desired; all convs.

MORGAN ST., 3107—Large bright room, with alcove; furnished or unfurnished; with board; reasonable.

MORGAN ST., 2904—Handsome front room, with board; use of parlor and piano; $15 per month each.

MORGAN ST., 2900—Furnished rooms; with or without board; private family.

MORGAN ST., 4323—Rooms and board; family hotel. Tel. C 1173. The Sherwood.

MORGAN ST., 3130—Nicely furnished rooms, with all conveniences; best board; reasonable.

MORGAN ST., 3200—Front room; also single room with board; very reasonable.

MORGAN ST., 3433—Rooms with board; all conveniences; central location; terms reasonable.

NEWSTEAD AV., 916A N.—Elegant furnished rooms, suitable for two gents; board if desired.

NINTH ST., 3324 S.—Room and board for three men; $4 week.

OLIVE ST., 4265—Select board; large rooms; so. ex.; references.

OLIVE ST., 4263—The Barringer—Select board, large rooms; southern exposure; references.

OLIVE ST., 3845—Newly furnished room, steam heat; hot bath; good table.

OLIVE ST., 3004—One nicely furnished front room, with or without board.

OLIVE ST., 1606—Clean furnished room, with board; table boarders accommodated; references exchanged.

OLIVE ST., 3105A—Nicely furnished rooms, with board; every convenience; very reasonable; call any time.

OLIVE ST., 3752—Desirable 2d floor front room; private family; for couple or two friends; board.

OLIVE ST., 4103½—One large, nice front room for married couple, young or middle-aged, with board if desired.

OLIVE ST., 2120—Furnished second-story front and other rooms; hot bath; furnace heat; with or without board.

OREGON AV., 3224A—Wanted, one or two children to board; good home and good care.

PAGE BL., 4569A—Furnished front hall room, with or without breakfast; ladies only.

PAGE AV., 6156—Four fine rooms, near cars; good water; pure air.

PAGE BL., 4068—South room; good board if desired; widow's small family adults; reasonable.

ROOMS WITH BOARD.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

OLIVE ST., 4219A—Large front room; so. ex.; handsomely furnished; steam heat; porcelain bath; small private family; good board; two persons, $5 each per week; one $7.

PARK AV., 2035—Elegant furnished rooms, with board, opposite Lafayette Park; hot and cold bath.

PENDLETON AV., 524—Large, clean, comfortable room; good light; bath; with or without breakfast; reasonable.

PINE ST., 3303—Front room, second floor, with board; handsomely furnished; for two gentlemen; reasonable.

PINE ST., 2928—Beautiful furnished second-floor room; elegant table.

PINE ST., 2918—Rooms and board; good meals; also table board; terms reasonable.

PINE ST., 3502—Well-furnished room, first-class board, for two or three gents.

PINE ST., 2916—Nicely furnished second-story front room; best board; terms reasonable.

PINE ST., 2906—Furnished rooms, with board; $4 and $4.50 per week.

PINE ST., 3002—Newly furnished rooms; gas and bath; with or without board.

PINE ST., 3315—Front and connecting room with board to gentlemen or ladies employed.

PINE ST., 3422—2d-story front alcove room; board if desired.

PINE ST., 3424—One furnished room for 1 or 2 gentlemen, with breakfast.

ROOM—Furnished front room, with or without board; widow's home. Ad. B 35, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD—Nicely furnished room and board for two ladies employed, or two gentlemen in private family; all conveniences; near three car lines; South Side. Ad. W 41, P.-D.

ROOM—Well-furnished room for one or two gents; hot bath; all conveniences; breakfast if desired; South Side. Ad. L 36, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD—Compton Heights, two front fine furnished rooms; so. ex.; good board; couple or two gents; $5 week. Ad. R 31, P.-D.

ROOM AND BOARD—Furnished room for rent, withor without board, for one to two gentlemen in private Jewish family; West End. Ad. W 81, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS AND BOARD—2 well furnished rooms, with board; for 4 gentlemen; reasonable; private family. Ad. K 29, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD—Gentleman can find all the comforts of a home in a quiet, private family; West of Sarah st. Ad. K 34, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD—Family in West End with their own home will take couple to board; choice table. Ad. W 169, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD—Rare chance for a couple or two gents, front room, board; private family; all new furniture; central location. Ad. R 27, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS AND BOARD—Very pleasant rooms, with or without board; two gents or couple; private Jewish family. Ad. T 163, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM WITH MEALS—2 business men can have a neatly furnished 2d-story front room or back parlor; electric light, gas and all convs.; with breakfast if desired; in strictly private family; best references given and required. Ad. G 37, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD—Furnished second-story front room, with or without board; convenient location. Ad. D 45, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD—Private family in West End will rent nice room with board to young gentleman; all home conveniences; good cooking and house has nice lawn, making a very delightful home; best of references required. Ad. D 33, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS WITH BOARD—2 connected beautifully furnished front rooms, 2d floor; so. ex.; good, substantial board; refined Jewish family; can rent separate for family or young men; West End. Ad. D 20, Post-Dispatch.

SARAH ST., 619 N.—Furnished or unfurnished rooms, with or without board.

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WASHINGTON AV., 3418—Nice rooms, with first-class board; home cooking.

WASHINGTON AV., 3223—Nicely furnished rooms, with board; terms reasonable.

WASHINGTON AV., 3144—Nicely furnished front room, with board if desired.

WASHINGTON AV., 2928—Nicely furnished rooms; good table; employed preferred; reasonable.

WASHINGTON AV., 3207—Desirable front and connecting rooms; newly furnished; with board; all convs.

WASHINGTON AV., 3033—Nice rooms and good board; all modern conveniences.

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WASHINGTON AV., 3211—Room with board for two nice young men; terms reasonable. Apply at once.

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FLAT WANTED—Three or four-room flat; west of Garrison av.; state location and price. Ad. H 25, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT WANTED—May 1, flat of three or four rooms; modern conveniences; near College Church, on Grand and Lindell, or St. Kevin's Church, on Park av.; state rent. Ad. A 21, Post-Dis.

FLAT WANTED—Five rooms and bath; flat or cottage; state price; near car line. Ad. H 167, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT WANTED—By May 1, small new flat, with hall, gas and bath, for young couple, without children. Ad. P 33, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT WANTED—By couple, four-room flat, with bath, 30 minutes from downtown; no children. Ad. G 36, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT WANTED—By April 15th, a 3-room flat; must be first floor and good location and condition, and reasonable. Ad. F 41, Post-Dispatch.

FLATS WANTED—Two four-room flats or residence suitable for two families. Ad. K 44, Post-Dis.

FLAT WANTED—Man and wife want modern 5-room flat, with bath, near Grand av. (east or west), between the Fair Grounds and Shenandoah av. Ad. N 26, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSE WANTED—To rent, nine-room modern house; western part city. Ad. K 38, P.-D.

HOUSE WANTED—Couple without children want house in West End or South Side, near Grand; possession about May 1. Ad. H 169, Post-Dis.

HOUSE WANTED—To rent a house of 5 or 6 rooms, family of 3 adults; permanent tenant; 5 or 6 miles from postoffice. Ad. R 24, Post-Dis.

HOUSE WANTED—House east of Union av., six or seven rooms; rent not more than $25. Ad. B 28, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSES WANTED—May 1, to buy 5-room modern house on monthly payments; give terms. Ad. O 27, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSE WANTED—To rent small house with stable. Ad. P 169, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSE WANTED—Modern 8-room house, Grand, Taylor, Cook and Maryland, $35. Ad. 5124 Fairmount av.

HOUSE WANTED—To rent, modern, seven-room detached house, in desirable neighborhood; West End or South Side; two in family; no children. Ad. W 39, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS WANTED—2 or 3 unfurnished rooms with separate entrance by 2 adults; state price, which must be reasonable. Ad. A 37, Post-Dispatch.

MAN and wife will join another man and wife, without children, in taking small house and furnish front room and board with the other couple. Ad. F 35, Post-Dispatch.

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ROOMS WANTED—Two unfurnished rooms in respectable neighborhood; references. T. M., 2206 Locust.

ROOM WANTED—Neat room for light housekeeping; near North Broadway car sheds. Ad. C 45, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM WANTED—Unfurnished or partly furnished alcove room, 2d-story front; private family. Ad. G 33, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM WANTED—Nicely furnished room, without board. Ad. B 133, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS WANTED—On 1st floor, 3 or 4 rooms and bath, between St. Ange, Chouteau or Park. Ad. A 181, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM WANTED—A nicely furnished room, with all conveniences. Ad. O 46, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM WANTED—Unfurnished room, in strictly private family, for light housekeeping, by middle-aged lady; give particulars. Ad. B 48, P.-D.

ROOM WANTED—Comfortably furnished room (lady employed), hot bath; accommodations; state terms. Ad. P 41, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM WANTED—Young man desires nicely furnished room; neighborhood Jefferson and Shenandoah; would not object to congenial young man as roommate. Ad. L 31, Pst-Dispatch.

ROOMS WANTED—Two nicely furnished rooms; good location; not in private family; married couple; no children; state price. Ad. L 28, P.-D.

ROOMS WANTED—Two first-floor parlors; good light; southern exposure; for first-class dental office. Address A 29, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM WANTED Young man wants pleasant furnished room in private family; must be good neighborhood and desirable place. Ad. O 38, P.-D.

ROOMS WANTED—Young lady employed during day wishes one or two nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Ad. D 30, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM WANTED—Two young men desire room, private family, neighborhood east Garrison, south Morgan; to occupy April 12. W. A. O'Bannon, Terminal Station.

ROOM WANTED—Large unfurnished room, west of Grand av.; not over $5; references exchanged. Ad. A 27, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM WANTED—Furnished room, on Easton av., near Newstead and Taylor, in widow's home, by single lady. Ad. B 18, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

BOARD WANTED—Two large adjoining rooms, for family of four, near Dozier School. Ad. A. 158, Post-Dispatch.

BOARD WANTED—Respectable young lady would like to get board with a private Catholic family. Ad. M 181, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—Young lady stenographer desires single room and board, where there are no other boarders; home of widow lady preferred; west of Garrison av.; $4 per week. Ad. T 25, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—A middle-aged lady, best references, wishes room and board in private family; permanent if satisfactory. Ad. T 39, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM WANTED—Room in West End by young man; Cabanne district preferred; state price with board, also with breakfast only. Ad. L 38, P.-D.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—Unfurnished; southern exposure front room, with board, for man and wife; state price, or no attention paid to answer; references exchanged; no children. Ad. F 34, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—By couple employed, at reasonable terms; be permanent; private. Ad. R 36 Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—By gentleman, room and board in German private family; give full particulars and terms. Ad. G 31, Post-Dis.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—Young man wishes room and board; no other roomers; state terms. Ad. L 40, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM WITH BOARD WANTED—Room with board in private family between Grand and Taylor, Morgan and Olive; state terms. Ad. G 166, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—Two connecting rooms, with board, for gentleman and wife and single man. Ad. N 34, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—Room and board by gentleman and son, 16 years old; state price. Ad. D 170, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—Young man desires board in refined private family; preferred near North End Water Tower; state terms; references. Ad. W 40, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—Room and board by young man in home of young widow. Ad. B 42, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—Room, with board, east of Grand, between Montgomery and Salisbury, by teacher; modern conveniences. Ad. B 170, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED—Gentleman and wife wish 1 or 2 nicely furnished rooms and board, with strictly private family, west of Grand av. Ad. W 36, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—Near Tower Grove Park; 3 in family; state terms. Ad. H 35, P.-D.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—Young lady employed, wants room and board; must be reasonable. Ad. O 15, Post-Dispatch.

FURNISHED HOUSES WANTED.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

FURNISHED HOUSE WANTED—Furnished house by reliable tenant; best references; small family; no children; full particulars. Ad. T 87, P.-D.

HOUSE WANTED—Responsible couple would take charge of house for parties going away for the summer; good refs. Ad. Y 22, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSE WANTED—By young man and mother, the care of furnished house or flat; in West End; during summer months. Ad. L 34, Post-Dispatch.

FURNISHED FLATS WANTED.

14 Words or Less 20 Cents.

FLAT WANTED—Furnished flat; responsible tenant; no children; best credentials; state price, etc. Ad. T 38, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT WANTED—In good location, nicely furnished flat; four rooms; by married couple; no children; state price. Ad. O 21, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT WANTED—To rent, 3 or 4-room completely furnished flat; prefer central, not west of Sarah st. Ad. F 22, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSE WANTED—Furnished house or flat; for summer months only; must be in West End. Ad. L 60, Post-Dispatch.

FLATS FOR RENT.

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ABBE AV., 6820—Also 3129A Henrietta st.; neat 3-room flat; $9.50 to small family.

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DICKSON ST., 3014—3 rooms and kitchen; all conveniences; also 2 furnished rooms for gents or light housekeeping; private family; references.

DODIER ST., 1438—3 rooms, newly decorated; convenient; separate entrance; rent $9; open today.

EASTON AV., 5510A—Four-room flat, bath, hall, gas fixtures; $15.

EIGHTEENTH ST., 1436 S.—Beautiful flat, 5 large rooms; all conveniences; you will like it; $20; keys upstairs. Owner, 1810 La Salle.

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ETZEL AV., 6162A—6-room flat with all modern conveniences; price $20.

EUCLID AV., 1247A, 1249A AND 1257—5 and 6-room flats; all conveniences.

EUGENIA ST., 2223—Modern light 4-room flat, beautifully decorated; double parlor, furnished, for housekeeping; cheap.

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FLAD AV., 3914—Labadie—4 rooms, gas, bath and laundry; stable if desired; owner 1126 N. Jefferson.

FLATS—New 4 and 5-room flats. Grand av. and Juniata st.

FLAT—Clara av., s. w. corner Wells; nice 2d-story corner flat, 5 rooms and bath, $17. Room 403 Roe bldg.

FLAT—Six-room flat, in a very desirable location for the summer. Ad. C 41, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT—Lower flat, four rooms, reception hall, porcelain bath, furnace, gas, hot and cold water, finished laundry, nice yard, convenient to Page av. cars; special inducement to small family. Inquire 318 N. Main st. Phone A 306.

GAMBLE ST., 2957—Corner Garrison; 2d floor; 6 rooms; all conveniences; $18.

GARRISON AV., 522 N.—Suite of 4 rooms unfurnished; also other rooms furnished; good location; hot bath; convenient to cars.

GARFIELD AV., 4532—First floor, 4 rooms, hall, gas, bath, nice lawn; rent $20.

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LEONARD AV., 1104 N.—4 rooms, bath, laundry, separate entrance; in fine condition; $18.

LUCAS AV., 3215—3-room furnished flat.

LUCKY ST., 4580—4 large rooms, 1st floor; stable, $12.

MAFFITT AV., 4514—Nice 3-room flat; good condition; rent only $10.

MANCHESTER AV., 2814—5-room flat, laundry, bath, etc.; good condition.

MISSISSIPPI AV., 1754—4 rooms, bath, w. c. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.

M'MILLAN AV., 4606—6-room flat; all modern conveniences and fixtures; janitor service; $27.50; Lindell or Suburban. Owner 911 Marcus, adjoining.

MONTROSE AV., 1213—Elegant 4-room flat, with bath, reception hall, etc.; take Park av. cars and walk two blocks north; only $13.50 rent; open.

ODELL ST., 4959—Six-room upper flat; hot and cold water, gas, bath, laundry; $18; house open. Apply T. J. Kernan, 5153 Ridge av.

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PAGE BL., 3511—Four rooms and bath; hot and cold water; near Grand av.; rent, $14. Apply to P. T. Madden Co., 3500 Easton av.

PAGE BL., 3951—Desirable upper flat, 6 rooms, bath, laundry, fly screens; thorough condition; open Sunday.

PAGE BL., 6156—Four fine rooms, near cars; good water and air.

PAGE AV., 4628A—4 rooms and bath, furnace, gas fixtures, gas range; rent $22; open.

PAGE AV., 4628—4 rooms and bath, furnace, gas fixtures, gas range; rent $20, open.

PARK AV., 3212 AND 3214A—Handsome 6-room flats, buff brick, detached house; hardwood finish; cabinet mantels, hot bath, gas stove connection; pantry; granitoid laundry; many closets; newly decorated; $20; water paid; Park av. cars; 20 minutes to Broadway; good location; why pay high rent in West End? Wardlow, 606 Chestnut st.

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SEVENTH ST., 2716 S.—Three rooms, $9 or $7. Herrmann, 1127 Chestnut st.

SHENANDOAH AV., 4028—Five and eight rooms, modern; $23 and $25.

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SIDNEY ST., 2014—A light and airy 4-room flat, with bath; third floor.

SIXTH ST., 1005 S.—Four rooms, bath, $14. Herrmann, 1127 Chestnut st.

SIXTEENTH ST., 1426 N.—4 large rooms, 1st floor, large yard to alley.

STODDARD ST., 2734—8 rooms, bath, $20. Herrmann, 1127 Chestnut st.

ST. FERDINAND AV., 3902—3 rooms, 2d floor, $8. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.

ST. VINCENT AV., 2933—Flat, four fine, large rooms, porcelain bath; all conveniences; vacant May 1.

ST. LOUIS AV., 4479—Elegant 5-room flat; every convenience; very low. W. F. Parker.

ST. VINCENT AV., 2917—Elegant flat of 5 large, well lighted rooms, gas, bath, hot and cold water, furnace, screens, gas fixtures.

TERRY AV., 5255—3-room flat; large yard; $8; Near Union and St. Louis av.

THOMAS ST., 2631—4-room flat in good order, 2d floor; bath and closet; $14.

TWENTY-SECOND ST., 2813 N.—Three rooms, $9. Herrmann, 1127 Chestnut st.

TWENTY-SECOND ST., 2909 N.—6 rooms, bath, separate entrance; newly decorated; convenient; rent $14.

WALNUT ST., 2611C—New 4-room flat; gas, bath, laundry; good locality; open; $15.

WALTON AV., 1151—Finely arranged 6-room flat, with every modern convenience; furnace, gas fixtures, etc.; detached building; new; only $20. General Renting and Investment Co., 617 Chestnut st.

WARNE AV., 1932 E.—Four-room flat; bath, water closet, gas, hall, laundry; new, detached house; large yard; $15; take Bellefontaine car.

WEST BELLE PL., 4465—3-room flat, bath, hot water, gas range, fixtures, screens. Ad. L 169, Post-Dispatch.

FLATS FOR RENT.

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WALTON AV., 1001-5—Handsome stone-front flats of 5 and 6 rooms each; separate building, finely arranged with every modern convenience; nothing like them; will rent them for $25 and $27. General Renting and Investment Co., 617 Chestnut st.

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BAILEY AV., 3511—6 rooms, large stable; will put in first-class order; phone Weis, Lindell 893, or D 716.

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COOK AV., 4512—Modern house; 9 rooms; reception hall; gas and electric fixtures; furnace and screens.

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LACLEDE AV., 3521—St. Xavier's Parish, 8-room detached house; screens; bath; $32.50. Herrmann, 1127 Chestnut st.

LACLEDE AV., 3107—Eight rooms; detached; modern dwelling; good neighborhood. Scott & Farrar, 715 Chestnut st.

LYNCH ST., 2213-2223—Several nice 3-room houses, with city water; splendid location; first-class condition; $9 and $8; bargains; place for horse and wagon.

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MINERVA AV., 6112—Beautiful 5-room cottage to permanent tenant with no children; take Suburban car.

PAGE BL., 5133—10-room modern rock-front house; screens, gas fixtures, furnace; occupancy May 1; $42.50. Inquire 5135 Page bl.

PAGE AV., 3813—Nice 7-room brick house, 50-ft. lot; porch; $25. Hildenbrandt & Noble, 623 Chestnut st.

SARAH ST., 1212 N.—8 rooms; bath; closet; reception hall; furnace; newly decorated; open today.

SCHOOL ST., 3409—Six-room modern detached brick, stable, etc., north line of High School.

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ST ANGE AV., 1129—Eleven rooms; bath, hot water and in good condition; price $50. Apply to A. D. Cunningham, 421 Olive st.

ST. LOUIS AV., 4622—6 rooms, bath, w. c., hall. $15. Keeley & Co. 1113 Chestnut st.

ST. VINCENT AV., 2721—6 rooms, bath, hot and cold water and all modern conveniences; rent, $24; keys 2717 St. Vincent.

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CHANNING AV., 508A N.—Furnished flat, to parties without children; 4 rooms; all con.

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RESTAURANT—For sale, dairy lunch and restaurant; best location in city; fine trade; have other business. Ad. M 22, Post-Dispatch.

RESTAURANT—For sale, restaurant and lunch-room, doing a fine business; best location in North St. Louis; cheap. Ad. M 37, Post-Dis.

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ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, 3123 Olive st.; elegantly newly furnished 9-room house; bath, gas, etc.; $150 cash, balance ($250) $15 month; snap.

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Whether you ever invested in oil or not buy the Western Union Oil Co. stock, now selling at 40c a share, for a solid investment and a dividend payer; send for prospectus. St. Louis office 404 Commercial block, 6th and Olive.

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CATS—For sale, Angora cats; white female, black female bred; beautiful white male; very large. 505 Brighton pl., East St. Louis, Ill.

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DOG—For sale, thoroughbred sky-blue silken terrier; male; $3. 1706 S. 7th st., rear.

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DOG—For sale, fine full blooded English poodle, 4315A Cook av.

DOGS—For sale, genuine pug puppies. 4058 Cote Brilliante av.

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DOGS.

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EGGS—For sale, extra fine Minorca eggs, from choice stock; $1.50 per 13. 1470 Goodfellow av.

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ALL kinds furniture, pianos, carpets, contents of houses, flats, stores bought; highest price paid. Wolf, 18 S. 11th st.; phone O 465.

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FEATHERS WANTED—All kinds of furniture, carpets and feathers. Lasky, 1213 Morgan.

FEATHERS WANTED—Old feathers; pay 45c lb.; E. D. feathers, 75c; send postal. S. Batavia, 112 N. 9th st.

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FURNITURE WANTED—Complete for 5 or 6 room flat. M. Dickson, 2629 Locust st.

FURNITURE WANTED—Brownlow pays highest cash price for second-hand furniture of all kinds. 4107 Easton av.

FURNITURE WANTED—Sideboard, dining table and chairs; also carpet. 4207A Easton av.

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FURNITURE—For sale, household furniture. 1416 N. 14th st.; in rear.

FURNITURE—For sale, parlor furniture, rugs, wardrobe, gas stove, etc. 3843A Windsor pl.

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FURNITURE—For sale, cook stove, bedroom suite, etc.; bargain. 4207A Easton av.

FURNITURE—For sale, antique furniture and square piano; tomorrow and during week. 5124 Fairmount av.

FURNITURE—For sale, dining room set, nearly new; $10. 4516 Natural Bridge rd.

FURNITURE—For sale, neatly furnished 3-room flat; chance for newly married couple; reasonable. 4646A Bell av.

FURNITURE—For sale, fine oak dining room set; cheap; can be seen at Leonori's, Grand and Laclede avs.

FURNITURE—For sale, quartered oak center table, filter, scroll saw, child's brass bed with hair mattress. 6009A Maple av.

FURNITURE, ETC.—Furniture, stoves and carpets at your own price; we pay highest price for 2d-hand household goods. H. Brockman, 2219 Franklin.

FURNITURE—For sale, five-room furnished flat; apply after Sunday. 2038A Lucas av.

FURNITURE—For sale; we have on sale at our storage rooms, 3 folding beds, 6 iron and brass beds, 7 bedroom suites, 4 chiffoniers, 2 china closets, 3 bookcases, 3 sideboards, 3 sets dining chairs, 6 fancy rockers, 2 mattresses and one lot carpets; we also have a line of new furniture that we can save you 25 per cent on, at 1823 Washington av.

FURNITURE—For sale, bedroom set, wardrobe, couch, bookcase; all oak; almost new; cheap; party leaving country; no dealers. 2638 Cherokee st.

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Furniture.

FURNITURE—For sale, 500 cane seat chairs and rockers, from 25c up; 55 misfit Brussels and ingrain carpets; also room size rugs; must be sold cheap to pay storage charges. Central Market Furniture Co., 2725 Franklin.

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At storage warehouse; 3 mantel folding beds, 2 upright folding beds, 1 ladies' dressing table, 4 chiffoniers, 1 oak china closet, 1 mahogany comb. bookcase, 6 wardrobes, 2 extension tables, 2 round extension tables, 1 Morris chair, 4 bedroom sets, 2 hall trees, 1 lot of old dressers and washstands, 2 roller top desks, 1 lot of Brussels, velvet and ingrain carpets, 1 lot of rugs, 4 sewing machines, 3 couches, 4 solid brass beds, 3 porcelain trimmed beds, 1 lot matresses and springs, 3 sideboards, 1 set of encyclopedia, at warehouse, 1001 and 1003 Morgan st.

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CARPET—For sale, Brussels carpet, about 25 yards; will sell cheap, also walnut bedroom set; very heavy; in nice order. 4604A Delmar bl.

CARPETS—For sale, 50 brussels and ingrain carpets, 250 yards linoleum, 25 rugs; all sizes; $2 up. 810 N. 7th st.

CARPETS—For sale, 200 misfit carpets; Brussels, velvet, 3-ply ingrain, $2 up; 50 bedroom sets, wardrobes, sideboards, folding beds; all kinds of household goods left for storage must be sold at once. 1017 Franklin av.

RUGS—For sale, 25 yards brussels, ingrain, rugs, 9x12, $2.50 and $1.25. 3330 Franklin av.

Sewing Machines.

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SHOWCASE—For sale, showcase; cheap. Baer's, 614 N. Broadway.

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For Sale.

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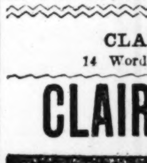

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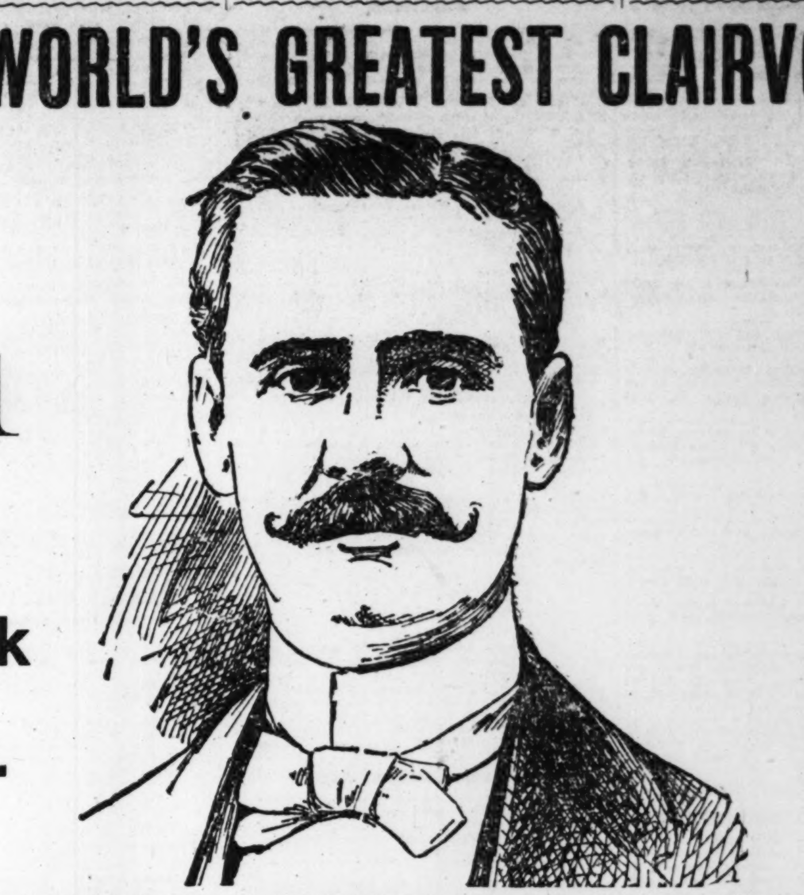

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Prof. Martin.

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1526 Linden st., 1st floor, 3 rooms	7 50
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For sale, 55 acres, on Mehl av., ¾ of a mile south of Hall Ferry Rock rd.; three miles from Baden; all in cultivation; part in clover; no improvements; for $80 per acre.
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LAND—For sale, 40 acres rich land, 5 miles Mt. Vernon, Ill., 400 bearing apple trees; choice varieties; second crop; level land; price $1000.
S. HEANEY, Idlewood, Ill.

FARM—For sale, good rich well-improved 80-acre farm, on public road, having all advantages; only 4 miles from Mt. Vernon; dirt cheap; only $2000; terms easy. S. HEANEY, Idlewood, Ill.

FARMS—From 10 to 300 acres of well-improved lands, $10 to $30 per acre; rich lands in fruit belt; fine grain, fruit, vegetable, meadow and stock farms. D. B. Archer, Mt. Vernon, Jeff. Co., Ill.

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FARM—For sale, a nice poultry farm of five acres; nice house; worth more than price of place; 4 rooms; good barn; only $500.
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LAND—$5 down and $5 month will buy 40 acres good farm land near town, Pulaski County, Mo.; price only $70; bargain. Ad. owner, G. D. Williams, Arkansas City, Kan.

LAND—For sale, 40 acres Pulaski County, Mo.; $100; $10 monthly; worth double. Box 11, Mt. Vernon, Ill.

FARM—For sale, 160 acres; 40 in cultivation; balance good timber; all good land; 3-room house; 2 fine springs; 200 bearing apple trees; select fruit; 80 acres fine valley land; lies on good road 9 miles northeast of Cuba; price $1700. Ad. J. L. McCormack, Cuba, Crawford Co., Mo.

FARM—For sale, 500 acres finest stock and grain farm in the Arcadia Valley, one-half mile from station, 90 miles from St. Louis, Iron Mountain R. R., with all live stock, farming implements, etc., at a sacrifice.
A. MITTELBERG, 16 N. 7th st.

FARMS—For sale, two nice little farms of 10 and 20 acres each; near town. A. S. Osborne, Drivens, Ill.

FARM—For sale, 40 acres; 20 in cultivation; about all good land; 10 acres rich valley; 2-room log house; hog stable; 75 bearing fruit trees; small fruits and berries; lays 3½ miles from Cuba; price $350. J. L. McCormack, Cuba, Crawford Co., Mo.

FARM—For sale, 200-acre farm; 110 acres in cultivation, river bottom; 40 acres in wheat, 20 acres in meadow, 90 acres fine timber, 5 acres bearing orchard; good improvements; 5 miles from Cuba, Mo., 4 miles from Steelville, Mo., county seat of Crawford County; price $3600. W. D. Bass, Steelville, Mo.

FARMS—For sale or trade, two farms of 20 acres each; between Normandy and Ferguson. Ad. M 11, Post-Dispatch.

FARM—For sale, good 40-acre fruit farm; good five-room house, barn, well; 30 acres orchard; worth $2000; take $1500 for quick sale; terms. H. Tonney, Flora, Ill.

FARM—For sale, 120-acre farm; three miles west of Flora, Ill.; timber and cultivated land; 10 acres apple orchard; price $1600; terms. H. Tonney, Flora, Ill.

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LAND—For sale, 18 acres and 8-room house, on Page av. and Walton rd.; $825 per acre. John Maguire R. E. Co., 107 N. 8th st.

FARM—For sale, a 22-acre fruit and poultry farm, in Jefferson County, Ill., with good 7-room house, other outbuildings; good water; 8 acres in orchard; half mile to R. R. town; 70 miles from St. Louis; price $800; half down; no trade. Ad. W. G. Osborn, Woodlawn, Ill.

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14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

FOR EXCHANGE—A farm of 118¼ acres in Crawford County, Mo., in a high state of cultivation and good producing land; house, barn, etc.; 1250 fruit trees; worth $2500; encumbered for $800, to run as long as wanted; will take in exchange grocery store, first-class rooming house or jewelry store. Address H 23, Post-Dispatch.

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LOT—For sale or exchange, fine corner lot in Mount Auburn; wants cottage or would sell on terms. A. Desborough, 3733 Bell av.

COTTAGE—For rent or exchange for city property, a pretty, new 5-room cottage and basement; 1 acre; 3 miles out. Ad. C 131, Post-Dispatch.

FOR EXCHANGE—Clear building lot; Missouri town; make offer. Address O 29, Post-Dispatch.

FOR EXCHANGE—Fine cash grocery for clear farm. Address Y 27, Post-Dispatch.

RESIDENCE WANTED—For exchange, farm in southern Missouri, 320 acres, for city residence, unincumbered. Ad. F 24, Post-Dispatch.

CITY PROPERTY WANTED—52 acres near Lakewood, N. J.; will exchange for city or country property or will take equity. Ad. E 27, P.-D.

PIANO WANTED—Exchanged lot in Sedalia for piano or range and carpets. Ad. M 169, P.-D.

HOUSE WANTED—To trade 8-room house, near 4800 Delmar, for 6-room house. Ad. P 34, P.-D.

SALOON WANTED—To trade $700 equity in 8-room house for saloon. Ad. P 36, Post-Dispatch.

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PROPERTY—I have several pieces of improved and vacant Kirkwood business and residence property I could sell for about one-half value; also a fine 6-room house, 10 acres of ground, will make a fine chicken farm, price $4500; also acre property suitable for subdivision.
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HOUSE—For sale, in Ellendale city limits, a fine 6-room house; lot 60x150; 2 fine brick cisterns in yard; fine cellar under all; $1750 cash; worth $3000; must be sold at once.
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BUSINESS PROPERTY—For sale, good business property, in Maplewood, at car line; will exchange for small farm in county; lot 75x150; building 30x50; two-story; 2 blocks out of city limits. Ad. E 39, Post-Dispatch.

LOTS—For sale, nice building lots in "West Horton place," has city water and sewer; Suburban electric cars (Delmar Garden branch) pass the property; good investment for builders or home-seekers. Call for plat.
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COTTAGE—For sale, brick cottage, 2 rooms and kitchen, cellar, etc., in Kirkwood, 1 block from depot and electric cars; price $700; terms to suit.
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LAND—For sale, suburban acres in tracts from 2½ to 100 acres, and ranging in price from $50 to $3000 per acre, according to location.
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HOUSE WANTED—On monthly payments, 7 or 8-room house; $200 or $300 down; balance monthly rent; give location, price, etc. Ad. Y 44, P.-D.

HOUSE WANTED—To buy 7 to 9-room house, in Cabanne district; will pay $500 cash, assume or give deed of trust as high as $5000 and pay balance monthly. Ad. L 26, Post-Dispatch.

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MONEY—$5000 to loan on city property; private party; homestead security preferred. Ad. B 86, Post-Dispatch.

MONEY WANTED—By a young business man, $150 on a personal note. Ad. N 42, Post-Dispatch.

MONEY WANTED—$600 3 years; 5 per cent interest, on 6-room house; West End; no commission; private party. Ad. R 45, Post-Dispatch.

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MONEY WANTED—$150 for 60 or 90 days; first-class security and big discount. Ad. F 37, P.-D.

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ADOPTION—To communicate with married couple who may desire to adopt a walking baby boy. Ad. M 44, Post-Dispatch.

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ADOPTION—A well-to-do family wishes to adopt a bright, healthy girl, 3 months to 3 years old. Ad. O 1, Post-Dispatch.

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The Bethesda Home was formally presented with its new building for incurables, Saturday morning, at the association headquarters, 3649 Vista avenue. The program included a solo by Mrs. McCandiess, an address by Rev. Frank W. Sneed, R. M. Scruggs' presentation of the gift and Dr. E. W. Saunders' acceptance. Mr. Scruggs spoke as follows:

Ladies and eGntlemen:

The peculiar relation which I occupy on this occasion makes it somewhat embarrassing to me to address you, yet I am sure that your interest in the work of the Home for Incurables will assist you in sinking the individual out of sight and holding up the work itself to a moro prominent view.

In the providence of God and through His divine guidance we are assembled here today to review the events of the past, which have led us to this good hour and to plan for larger things for this institution in the future.

Standing as I do on the threshold of this enlarged work and disassociated from the active management of Bethesda Home, I think I can appreciate to some extent the great work which this institution has done under the unfavorable surroundings that have hampered it heretofore, and I feel that I know something of the needs of a Home for Incurables, because of the numerous appeals that have been made to me and the institutions with which I am associated.

I feel confident in saying that there is no better work, nor one more needed, than just such an institution as we have here. A good motto for lovers of mankind is, "Help those who cannot help themselves" or "Help others to help themselves," and, believing, as I do, in this precept, it is not strange that my heart was prepared for the divine leading, when the time came for the erection and equipment of just such an institution as Bethesda Home. It was with great pleasure, therefore, that I accepted the guidance of the Spirit and most cheerfully did I undertake the privilege of supplying Bethesda with an institution of this kind as a home for those dependents then under its care and for all that might enter it in years to come.

You are called together this afternoon to rejoice with me in the formal presentation of this building and its equipment to the board of directors of Bethesda.

The deeds, papers and other data will be presented later by Mr. W. H. McClain, but I have the pleasure of presenting to you, Dr. Saunders, formally, the keys of this building, and in the name of God, the father of all, and recognizing the claims of all alike upon human compassion, the presentation of this institution is made, to be devoted to its ministry of sympathy and love.

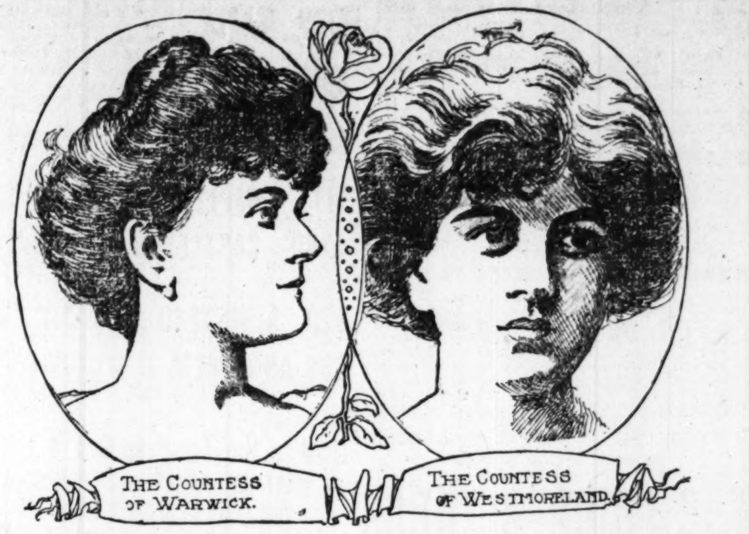
May the blessing of God rest and abide on all in control of those who may come within its fold.

In addition to the amount given by Mr. Scruggs for the erection of the home, the following ladies and gentlemen were donors:

Mrs. Johnathan Rice, for the Erna Rice Memorial Ward	$ 350 00
Mr. John Scudder, for the Scudder Memorial Ward	500 00
Mr. and Mrs. G. Lacy Crawford, for two double rooms	233 70
Dr. E. W. Saunders, for the recovering room	116 85
Mrs. Stewart Scott, for one double room	116 65
King's Daughters of Lindell Avenue M. E. Church, single room	75 00
Mrs. G. B. Walthew, for single room	70 82
Mrs. Mary R. Kennedy, for single room	70 82
Mrs. R. B. Higbee, for single room	70 87
Mrs. Wm. Berg, for single room	70 83
Young Ladies' Mission of St. John's M. E. Church, single room	70 00
Ladies' of Union M. E. Church, for single room	53 92
R. M. Scruggs, furniture for all the remainder of the wards, parlor, hall, dining room, etc	3,365 74

In addition to the money contributed by these parties, several individuals and societies contributed generous supplies of bed linen, furniture and articles of ornament.

QUEEN WILL HONOR HOME-LOVING ENGLISH WOMEN



Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.

LONDON, April 6.—Among the ladies-in-waiting on the new Queen wil be one of the most beautiful women, the Countess of Westmoreland, who owes her appointment not chiefly, it is said, to her undoubted personal and social graces, but to the fact that she is before all else a "home-body," delighting in country life, domestic pleasures and occupations and the care and training of her children.

The Countess of Westmoreland is one of the most beautiful women in England. She is a sister of the Countess of Warwick, who will also be made a lady-in-waiting, and the Duchess of Sutherland, both of whom are widely known in English social life. She was married in 1892 to the thirteenth Earl of Westmoreland and she has three children.

Lady Westmoreland dislikes London life, consequently little is heard of her in the metropolis. She spends most of her time at her country place, Apethorp Hall.

During the visit of the Shah of Persia to England last summer he saw Lady Westmoreland riding to the hounds and pronounced her the best horsewoman in England. As a token of his esteem he conferred on her the high Order of the Lion and the Sun.

BRUTISH DEEDS DONE IN CHINA

Soldiers of the Allies Drive Women to Suicide.

THE PROOF IS CONCLUSIVE

REPORT ON FILE IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT.

In These Outrages the Russians and French Are Said to Have Been the Most to Blame.

"I AM NOT SURPRISED."

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—Wu Ting Fang, the Chinese minister, says of the report of outrages committed by European soldiers in China:

"The women of China are virtuous. They have high ideals. Any virtuous woman who has been overcome whether by foreigner of by a man of her own race, commits suicide in my country.

"On the approach of an army to a small settlement the women throw themselves into wells and commit suicide in other ways. Such sporadic instances of wrongs to women, no doubt, always happen when conquering armies of even the most civilized peoples invade a foreign country.

"I am not surprised at the report. In the small towns and country in China the people live in peace and virtue and the march of an army through their homes and all that that means drives them crazy with fear. After the army had passed nothing could be the same again to them, especially the women."

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—There is on file at the state department a report from China. No one outside a privileged few may see it. It is a story of the occupation of Pekin and neighboring Chinese cities by the allies. It deals of wholesale suicides among Chinese women and girls to escape a worse fate at the hands of soldiers from civilized Christian lands.

The state department refuses to make the report public in all its horrible frankness. There is no desire here to embarrass the allies who fought their way to Pekin last summer with the Americans.

The report, as do all witnesses of those eventful days in Pekin, acquits all English-speaking and German-speaking officers and men of responsibility for such deeds. It, therefore, excepts the Americans and English, the Germans and Austrians from such awful charges. Russian and French soldiers are the most blamed.

It is a story that cannot be fully told. Briefly, there has been an epidemic of wholesale suicide among Chinese women, married and single. Some kill themselves after being the white man's victim. Others take their lives to save their honor. Married women kill themselves rather than endure the ostracism which would be theirs. Unmarried ones allow themselves to be killed by their relatives. In some towns the women practically have disappeared.

But while the state department, for diplomatic reasons, finds it expedient not to tell the whole story there are others who can and do.

Dr. E. J. Dillon accompanied the allies on their march and remained in Pekin afterward. This is what he wrote back to the London Contemporary Review, a magazine of the highest reputation for truth and conservatism:

"In Tung Tschau and Pekin girls and women of all ages were assaulted first and bayoneted afterward by men whose governments were wrapping themselves up in the soft wool of Mary's little lamb.

"Surely one needs not be puritanical or hysterical to condemn the horrible treatment of terrified females between the ages of 6 and 60 years by clod-hopping, brutish soldiers, who misrepresent alike Christianity and civilization.

"I knew of other Chinamen whose wives and daughters hanged themselves on trees or drowned themselves in garden wells to escape a much worse lot.

"Chinese women honestly believed that no more terrible fate could overtake them than to fall alive into the hands of Europeans or Christians.

"And it is to be feared that they were right.

"Buddhism and Confucianism have their martyrs to chastity whose heroic feats no martyrology will ever record.

"Some of those obscure but right minded women hurled themselves into the river, and, finding only three feet of water there, kept their heads under the surface until death had set his seal on the sacrifice of their life."

Dr. Dillon continues at great length along these lines, giving numerous instances of the most cruel and revolting and unprintable outrages. He is no more startling in his utterances than George Lynch, the noted London war correspondent.

WHITE MAN LYNCHED

ARKANSAS MOB HANGED MAY HEARN.

WAS ACCUSED OF MURDER.

The Man Was So Quietly Executed That Few Knew of It Until Morning.

OSCEOLA, Ark., April 6.—May Hearn of Luxora, Ark., was taken from jail here this morning between the hours of 1 and 2 o'clock and lynched. The victim of the mob was a young white man, the son of J. R. Hearn, one of the most respected farmers living in the neighborhood of Luxora, and the crime for which he was hanged was the shooting of Clyde King of Luxora on the night of Sunday, March 31.

The mob that participated in the lynching was thoroughly organized. It seemed to be made up largely of persons from Luxora, as the members entered Osceola on horseback, and not over half a dozen citizens of the place were aware that a lynching had taken place until this morning.

Deputy Sheriff Goodrich had the keys to the jail, and these were taken possession of by the leaders of the mob. Arriving at the jail the lynchers entered. Hearn sank on his knees and began to pray. Although his sentences were almost incoherent he declared he did not kill King from malice, but that the shooting was accidental. The mob was unmoved by his prayers and petitions for mercy, and, placing a rope around Hearn's neck, they took him from the jail and hanged him to a tree.

MISS BUMAH BULLTES,
St. Louis girl who is visiting Miss Hazel Merker at Belleville.

GREAT MUSIC FESTIVAL

Organist Wolle Will Present Bach's B Minor Mass at the Moravian Church in Bethlehem.

BETHLEHEM, Pa., April 6.—On March 27, 1900, a historical epoch was added to the musical annals of Bethlehem, Pa., by the first rendition in America of Bach's B minor mass under the direction of J. Fred Wolle, the organist and choir master at the Moravian church. Encouraged by the signal success of this first effort, which attracted more than local interest, Mr. Wolle planned for a second festival for this year. This will take place in May and will occupy three days, viz.: Thursday, Friday and Saturday, on the 23d, 24th and 25th.

The festival exercises will be rendered in the historic Moravian church, Bethlehem, Pa., built in 1803.

There will be two performances each day, one in the afternoon at 4 o'clock, the other at 8 o'clock. The three works which are to be produced entire will be given in the following order: first, the Christmas oratory, afternoon parts I, II and III; evening parts, IV, V and VI. Second day, the Passion, according to St. Matthew, afternoon, part I; evening, part II. Third day, the Mass in B minor; afternoon, the Kyrie and Gloria; evening, commencing with the Credo.

The Bach choir consists of 110 members and in the singing of the chorals will be assisted by a choir of 100 boys. The instrumental support will be furnished by the organ and complete orchestra, comprising all the intsruments demanded by the score.

The solo parts will be taken by eminent and competent soloists. The names will be announced later.

WAS SHOT IN THE ABDOMEN.

Alvin Plummer Probably Fatally Wounded by Edward Lindemann.

Alvin Plummer was shot in the abdomen last night by Edward Lindmann. The City Hospital physicians say his wound is fatal.

Both the men live at the foot of Destrahan street. They were walking near their home on the Burlington tracks when they quarreled, the shooting resulting.

Patrolman Shaw arrested Lindemann and Plummer identified him.

GEN. CLAY AT WAR WITH ALL

The Aged Warrior Refuses to See Friend or Enemy

HAS PLENTY OF PROVISIONS

ON END OF A POLE HE PLANTS A BLOOD RED BANNER.

His Cane Across the Walk Is His Dead Line and His Indication That He Is Not Too Feeble to Fight.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

FOXTOWN, Ky., April 6.—General Cassius M. Clay remained barricaded in his mansion, White Hall, today and refused all propositions to be seen, refusing to talk with Zach White, a negro, sent by his son, Brutus Clay, late Commissioner to the Paris Exposition, and to Jim Bolin, who went to deliver a note sent by newspaper men.

The old general told White to tell Brutus that he was at war with the world, and that no man dares cross the dead line placed by him fifty feet in front of his door, across the walk. To Bolin he said he had no statement for the press today, but would make one later.

He tried to write his answer on the back of the note, but his writing is illegible. Bolin says he was not wounded in the battle yesterday with Sheriff Colyer and Deputy Terrill, but is barricaded and armed with pistols and knives, with shotguns and rifles sitting about in his house. At the front door he has placed a long pole to one end of which he has tied a white handkerchief and to the other end a red handkerchief. The end bearing the red handkerchief is raised, denoting, Bolin says, that the war is on and that he will kill the first man who dares to approach without his leave.

His dead line is denoted by a walking cane lying across the walk. It indicates that he is not crippled, but able to meet his enemy in open battle.

He cooked his dinner in a boiler in front of the fire place. He boiled a ham, and had with the meat, canned goods. Bolin says he has some 200 hundred cans of apples, pears, tomatoes, corn, etc., in the house, besides several dozens of eggs.

Brutus Clay, after failing to get an audience with his father, returned home. He says there is nothing to do but let him alone. The men have left the place, only Bolin remains to attend him. His desire is to gain the consent of his children to relinquish their claim to the property that he may give the old homestead to his child-wife, now divorced and married to a laborer, Riley Brock.

THE BIBLE HIS GUIDE

EXODUS XXII AUTHORITY FOR KILLING WITCHES.

HOTEMA AN INDIAN PRIEST

His Wife Says He Has Behaved Queerly Since the Loss of His Child by Death.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PARIS, Tex., April 6.—At today's proceedings in the trial of the Choctaw Indians for killing an alleged witch for bringing meningitis into the tribe, the government undertook to show that the defendants were not impelled by religious frenzy, but by bad whisky.

Liquor had been expressed from Paris to Grant for a sick man. Hotema sent for the whisky. It was claimed that he got drunk before committing the deed. The witnesses all testified that previous to the tragedy Hotema was quiet and peaceable, and beloved by everybody. He had been a teacher and preacher for 20 years in the community and was a father to the orphans.

Mrs. Hotema testified that after his child's death he spent most of his time praying, crying, reading scripture and interpreting passages about witchcraft. He prayed that the witches might be overcome and found authority for killing the witches in the 18th verse of the 22d chapter of Exodus, which says, "Suffer not a witch to live."

He interpreted the story of Aaron's rod turning into a serpent and other miracles of the Bible as acts of sorcery and witchcraft. The testimony showed that on Sunday before the tragedy he preached a sermon to his congregation in which he declared that his people were going back to the practices of sorcery and witchcraft of old instead of following the white people, for they had recently seen witches in the form of balls of fire hovering near home. Hotema, as the trial progressed, appears like an ordinary spectator.

MAY BE BUBONIC PLAGUE

Student at Ann Arbor Has Queer Malady Which the Doctors Say Is Like Black Disease.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

ANN ARBOR, Mich., April 6.—In the University Hospital contagious ward there is confined a young student whose name is not divulged. His malady may be bubonic plague. In fact Dr. Frederick Novy who recently returned from the Pacific coast, where he was sent by the government to investigate the bubonic plague, says that the case looks very suspicious.

The young student was taken to the hospital under the supposition that he was afflicted with pleurisy, but Dr. Rock discovered that the case acted strangely and fearing that a contagion might result, ordered the patient to the pesthouse adjoining. Dr. Novy was called.

To the Post-Dispatch tonight he said: "There is no cause for any alarm, as the case is thoroughly isolated and even if it should turn out to be bubonic plague there would be no spread. I admit this looks suspiciously like bubonic plague, but it will be necessary to make some further tests before it can be definitely decided."

He was very reticent about talking on the matter until informed that newspapers had gotten the story and then he made the above statement.

THE YOUNG MEN MAY GO FREE

Prof. Cabell Said to Be Interceding With Gov. Beckham to Stop Proceedings at Bowling Green.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BOWLING GREEN, Ky., April 6.—Word was received here late this afternoon from Frankfort that Dr. B. F. Cabell, president of Potter College, had been spending the day there in consultation with Gov. Beckham. It stated that the purpose of his visit is to secure the pardon of the five young men who stole the girls from Potter Seminary and exchanged shots with Prof. Cabell. The young men are under indictment.

Dr. Campbell is accompanied by W. B. Bradbury of this city, who is attorney for the indicted men.

At Potter College, this morning, it was stated that Dr. Cabell had gone to Louisville and would return some time tonight.

THE PRESIDENT'S WESTERN TRIP

All But Two of the Cabinet to Go Along.

STATE AFFAIRS ON THE TRAIN

THE ITINERARY HAS BEEN CALCULATED BEFOREHAND TO A NICETY.

At Chehalis, Wash., Home of Two of Funston's Companions, a Stop and a Speech Will Be Made.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—Secretary Cortelyou is daily engaged in conferences with senators and representatives and railroad officials regarding the itinerary of the President's coming tour across the continent. As near as possible Secretary Cortelyou is trying to complete the schedule before the train leaves on its long journey. The time of returning to Washington will be fixed almost to the hour before the departure, despite the fact that the train will be away from Washington for six weeks and will travel 12,000 miles, and go through more than half the states of the Union.

Reports received at the White House are that the entire cabinet is making preparations for the trip. H. L. Scott of the Union Iron Works of San Francisco, where the battleship Ohio will be launched, is coming to Washington to accompany the President to California. He has also placed his magnificent residence in San Francisco at the disposal of the President.

In Los Angeles two prominent citizens have tendered the use of their houses. While these invitations may not be accepted they show the hospitality that is being offered the President. It is not known whether Attorney-General Knox will accompany the party. He has just come back from spending the winter in California and may not care to return. With the exception of Secretary Gage and possibly Secretary Root, every other cabinet officer will go. Each one will transact department business aboard the train just as if he was at his desk in Washington. The President will be in constant communication with Washington and will attend to all legislative business. The executive machinery of the government will, in fact, go along daily to the accompaniment of the noise of a railroad train.

While in the state of Washington the President has decided to stop at Chehalis, the home of the Hazzard brothers, the two army officers who accompanied Gen. Funston upon the perilous journey which effected the capture of Aguinaldo. The President, probably, will make a brief speech there. The proposed sail by steamer from Duluth or Chicago to Buffalo has been eliminated from the itinerary, owing to the fact that the steamers do not begin to run until June 15.

After the trip through the Yellowstone Park the party will go to Salt Lake City, Utah, thence to Denver and Colorado Springs, Colo. Two days will be spent at the latter place in order to allow time for a visit to Pike's Peak. Stops will be made at Kansas City and St. Joseph, Mo. No extended stay will be made at Chicago. About two days will be spent at Buffalo, visiting the Pan-American Exposition and Niagara Falls.

PHILLIPS TALKS 50 CENT CORN

J. A. Patten, the Bear, Says It Looks as if the Corn King Had His Second Wind.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, Ill., April 6.—"Let me congratulate you on your generalship in winning your fight against great odds. Providence is with you, for it is pouring rain all over this section. Our curb's three-eighths of a cent higher on corn."

This message, with hundreds of others, has been received by George H. Philips. It was signed by a leading St. Louis operator.

James A. Patten, the big bear, who tried to break Philips, said today:

"It looks very much as if Philips had gotten his second wind. I am taking that view of it and have covered a good deal of corn on the possibility of his starting a new advance."

"It is a satisfaction to me," said Philips, "that I succeeded in holding my people together through the 4-cent break in corn and the other breaks."

"It looks to me now as if it would be a long time before there was another such drive at the course grain market. I am talking 50-cent corn, just as I was before the break."

HE PROTECTED HIS AUNT.

Young Man Shot His Uncle Dead for Beating His Wife.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., April 6.—Thomas Farmer shot and killed Dolly Dollar, his uncle by marriage, at the former's home in Ensley this morning. Dollar was drinking and quarreled with his wife about the dinner she had prepared for him, and finally commenced beating her. The young man begged him to desist, and upon his refusal to do so shot him through the heart, killing him instantly. The young man then fled.

CALLAHAN IS ON TRIAL.

He Is One of the Men Accused of the Cudahy Kidnaping.

OMAHA, Neb., April 6.—James Callahan, the alleged Cudahy kidnaper, was arraigned before Judge Baker in the criminal branch of the district court today, and pleaded not guilty and was held for trial on April 23, on the charge of robbery. His attorneys moved to squash the information, alleging that Callahan had already been arraigned on several informations charging the same offense and had not been heard on any of them, but the motion was overruled.

Callahan's attorneys then notified the court that a deposition by Henderson, the Dallas man, who confessed to having committed the crime, would be taken.

Marriage Licenses.

D. S. Ralston	2827 Washington
Susan B. Teasdale	4115 Lindell
Herman Kramer	Florissant, Mo
Mary Foeller	Florissant, Mo
William Vogt	Hannibal, Mo
Cora A. Bowers	2305 North Market
E. L. Ballard	2938 Morgan
Pearl A. Pancake	3934 Page
Albert Reese	Columbus, O
Gertrude Crune	3751 Finney
Joseph Paschell	3435 Olive
Mary O'Hara	1972 Clara
Lewis Armentrout	Venice, Ill
Anna Morris	Venice, Ill
Walter Williams	Memphis, Tenn
Jennie Lewis	1328 Morgan
Gus Tate	218 Plum
Laura Patton	223 Plum
Angus Morrison	Albany, N. Y
Bertha Oetterer	Gables, Mo
J. R. Owen	St. Louis
May Beard	St. Louis
William Gemmer	Stratmann, Mo
Sophia W. Vrehmann	Stratmann, Mo
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A DISCOVERY PREVENTS BLINDNESS.

The Blind See—The Deaf Hear Through Marvelous Discovery Which Cures All Afflictions of the Eye and Ear.

A GRAND BOOK FREE.

A marvelous discovery has been made by that Scientist and Inventive Genius, Prof. W. C. Wilson. He has invented a restorer known as "Actina," through which all afflictions of the eye and ear, such as blindness, granulated lids, cataracts, sore eyes, deafness, etc., are cured without cutting or drugging. It is a simple contrivance known as the Actina Pocket Battery, and through it the patients cure themselves in the privacy of their own homes. It not only abolishes the butcheries and torturous methods practiced by oculists and aurists, but at the same time perfects a positive and lasting cure. Chas. E. Habicht, Hazel Green, Ky., writes: "Actina cured me of granulated lids, after eminent specialists had failed." Tom Murrah, Austin, Texas, writes: "My wife's eyesight and hearing have been much improved and my catarrhal affliction wonderfully benefited by Actina." Alfred Bolton, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., writes: "I owe my eyesight to Actina." G. P. Johnson, Brooklyn, Io., writes: "I had possibly the worst case of catarrh. Actina cured me in three months." A party of prominent citizens have organized in a company known as the New York & London Electric Association, and they have given this method so thorough a test on hundreds of cases pronounced incurable and hopeless that they now positively assure a cure. They have bought all American and European rights for this wonderful invention. Actina is sent on approval postpaid. If you will send your name and address to the New York & London Electric Association, 229 Walnut St., Dept. 201, Kansas City, Mo., you will receive absolutely free, a valuable book, Prof. Wilson's Treatise on the Eye and on disease in general and you can rest assured that your eyesight and hearing will be restored, no matter how many doctors have failed.

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Remarkable Hand in Whist.

Two extraordinary hands of whist were played on board a South African steamer the other evening. In the first, after the cards had been duly shuffled and cut, each player received a full suit. A held all the hearts, B the diamonds, C the clubs and D the spades. On playing the next hand with another pack C and D won all 13 tricks. It was an extraordinary game played for ordinary stakes, and was, in fact, a bonafide whist phenomenon. The odds against a player holding the 13 trumps are 158,753,389,899 to 1.

REAL ESTATE NEWS

TWO MILLION DOLLARS' WORTH OF SALES WITHIN TEN DAYS.

AN ACTIVE MARKET AT HAND

Comparison of Central Values by the Square Foot—Exchange Election—Agents' Report of Sales.

That the real estate market has started upward must be believed by any man who looks at the facts, and the Post-Dispatch again cautions those persons who intend to invest, but who are delaying for one reason or another, that the delay will cost them a good deal of money if it be long protracted. It is not as easy, by any means, to get hold of property now as it was a little time ago. Owners are beginning to draw the lines taut. Mr. Charles H. Bailey answered a representative of the Post-Dispatch yesterday for example, in reply to an inquiry, that an offer of $10,000 had been made for an option for 30 days on the Catlin tract of ground, north of Forest Park, at $850,000, and that the offer had been declined. Three months ago the option could probably have been had easily, but now $10,000 was no object. There is a 30-day option out on the Lindell Hotel, and every day the signs multiply that an active real estate market is at hand.

More than $2,000,000 worth of property has been sold within the past 10 days. The Mercantile Trust Co. alone negotiated more than $1,000,000 worth, and the Mississippi Valley Trust Co., Fisher & Co., Nicholls-Ritter and other agencies have been exceedingly busy. The details of the deals will be found in the agents' reports below. It has been 10 years since as much activity has been seen in real estate circles as is manifest now.

The most important transaction in recent days was the lease of the southeast corner of Olive and Seventh streets to W. A. Gill on a valuation of $143 a square foot, the highest estimation ever placed upon St. Louis real estate. In order to compare it with other well-known sites the following table is appended, showing the value per square foot of those sites, estimating that the net income is 4 per cent of the value.

	Val. per sq. ft.
Republic bldg., s. w. cor. 7th and Olive	$ 61.64
Union Trust, n. w. cor. 7th and Olive	58.00
Geo. T. Tower, n. e. cor. 7th and Olive	29.70
Holland bldg	30.64
Chemical bldg., n. e. cor. Olive and 8th	78.43
Columbia bldg., s. e. cor. 8th and Locust	47.80
Century bldg., Olive st. front	42.79
Century bldg., Locust st. front	21.39
Emilie bldg., s. w. cor. 7th and Olive	32.41
W. A. Gill, s. e. cor. 7th and Olive	143 00
Engine Company No. 6	27.70

Of course, it would not be fair to say that all the other pieces of property were really as cheap as they seem to be when compared with the Gill lot, for that lot is a very small one and is "all corner." This makes a very great difference.

The Exchange Election.

On Tuesday, the 16th, will occur the annual election of a president and directors of the Real Estate Exchange. Nominations must be posted in the Exchange by next Tuesday, and the friends of Messrs. J. P. Whyte, T. G. Zeibig, Robert Rutledge, H. L. Haydel, L. G. McNair and E. C. Rowse are circulating indorsements of their respective candidates. Mr. Macbeth has been asked to run again, but he declines to do so. To a representative of the Post-Dispatch he said yesterday:

"I hope that the president who succeeds me will be one who is willing and able to give it the time it requires, and that he will be willing to follow the ideas of the several board of directors who have served with me, and whose management has made the Exchange of so much [illegible] to the real estate fraternity and the community at large.

"The president should be one, in the first place, who has been using Exchange deeds of trust, that is, the forms making the Exchange the place of sale in the case of foreclosure. I am not in sympathy with any movement by which a member pledges himself on a petition circulated for that purpose, but believe that everyone should be allowed to make a free choice at the election of the 16th.

"I have been asked to enter the race again, but have declined, believing that my three years of service entitle me to a rest. My only interest in this coming election will be to assist in the election of men who have been in thorough accord with Exchange principles."

Mercantile Trust Co.

The Mercantile Trust Co. reports real estate transactions during the past 10 days aggregating over $1,000,000, the property sold including downtown business blocks, high-class residence property, small cottages and cheap vacant lots, showing the activity to be general. They do not regard that their present record-breaking business in any way represents a World's Fair boom, but attribute it to the fact that investors are beginning to realize that real estate in St. Louis is cheaper than in any city of its size in the world, and that the city is prosperous and growing rapidly. They state that the World's Fair has done much to awaken interest of men of means to the opportunities offered by St. Louis real estate investments.

In addition to those reported they have other deals in course of negotiation, and anticipate continued activity. A resume of their most recent transactions is as follows:

Ninth and Olive streets, southwest corner, four-story brick structure known as the Emilie building, erected on lot 120x109, sold from the Emilie Building Co. to L. E. Anderson, representing a client of the trust company. The property sold for $425,000. There are no immediate plans for the erection of a new building on the site, and for the present it will be remodeled and modernized and continued as a popular-priced office building. The Mississippi Valley Trust Co. represented the grantor.

Seventh and Olive streets, southeast corner, lot 22x58, leased for 99 years for account of Capt. John A. Scudder, the lessee being William A. Gill, present tenant of the store. The lease is on a basis of 4 per cent on $181,250. Only a few years ago the corner was leased for $5000 per annum, with the privilege of purchasing at $100,000. The basis of this lease established the corner as the most valuable ever sold in St. Louis, and forcibly illustrates the increase of well-located St. Louis property.

No. 1226 Washington avenue, a two-story brick building, formerly occupied as an office by the Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co., lot 50x150, being 100 feet east of Thirteenth street, sold for the Continental Tobacco Co. of New York to Thomas Dunn, who has operated most successfully in local real estate. The property sold for $80,000. Negotiations on the part of the tobacco company were conducted through Paul Brown, managing director. Mr. Dunn bought with a view of improving with a modern wholesale building.

Tenth and Olive streets, northwest corner, lot 50x109, a two-story brick building, leased for 99 years at $5000 per annum for first five years and $8000 for 94 years, with option to purchase in ten years at $200,000, from the Maffitt Realty and Investment Co., to a corporation composed of clients of the Mercantile Trust Co., known as the Tenth Street Realty Co. The lease provides for the erection of a modern building, which will be a credit to Olive street.

Thirteenth and Washington avenue, northwest corner, three-story brick building, lot 40x137, owned by Charles Clark, represented by Mississippi Valley Trust Co., sold for $77,000, to a client of the Mercantile Trust Co., who is negotiating with a tenant with a view of erecting a wholesale house on the corner.

No. 4390 Lindell boulevard, a modern two-story brick and granite building, containing 11 rooms and all modern conveniences, erected on a lot 68x213, with a large two-story brick stable in the rear, sold for Sam M. Kennard, president of J. Kennard & Son Carpet Co., to Louis H. Haase of the A. C. L. Haase & Sons Fish Co., for $20,000. The purchaser will make some alterations and improvements in the property and occupy it as his future home.

Portland place, south side, lot 100x200, being the seventh lot west of entrance, the same distance west of King's highway as the residence of Edwards Whitaker in Westmoreland place. Property was sold for the account of John Kennard for $17,500 to Mrs. Mary W. McKittrick, who bought for the purpose of erecting a residence on the lot.

No. 5942 Cote Brilliante avenue, a modern two-story seven-room brick residence, erected on lot 25x120, sold to Lebbeus P. Crigler for $3000. Purchaser bought for a home and will occupy at once.

No. 2706 Baldwin street, a six-room brick cottage, erected on lot 25x132, sold for Mathew Cummins to Mrs. Rose Cassell for $1500 and bought for a home.

No. 2427 Bacon street, a one-story five-room cottage, lot 25x120, from Charles E. Amos to Charles W. Jennings, sold for $2350. Purchaser bought for a home.

Lot 30x125 on the west side of Ohio avenue in the block south of Cherokee street; from Mrs. Jessie Valle Ewing to Anton Hollenbach, for $600. Purchaser bought to build.

Cote Brilliante avenue, south side, between Hamilton and Hodiamont, in Mount Auburn; lot 50x120; from H. C. Ochterbeck to Mrs. Julia A. Bowen for $1300 cash. Mrs. Bowen will erect a residence on the lot.

Louisiana avenue, east side, 200 feet north of Magnolia avenue, lot 35x125, from Flora J. Meacham to Henry Hoerr, for $1015. Purchaser bought to build.

Fisher & Co.

Fisher & Co.'s sales were 26 in number, and amounted to $180,000. They sold the house 5352 Maple avenue, with lot 50x140 feet, property of Wm. B. Burford of Indianapolis, Ind., to O. L. Teachout, for $8000. The house is a full, three-story, 12-room, modern, reception hall, and in perfect condition, was disposed of for $2500 less than cost and was bought for a home.

Also, a lot on the north side of Cook avenue, 178 feet east of Grand avenue, about 30x168 feet, property of J. K. Cummings, and sold to Maurice Molony for $70 per front foot. Mr. Molony will at once improve this lot with a fine 10-room dwelling for his future home.

Also, sold 50 feet on the north side of Franklin avenue, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets, lot 50x155, known as Nos. 2121 and 2123 Franklin avenue, two and three-story buildings covering the entire lot, renting for $120 per month, property of Leslie Everman and sold to Dr. T. M. Sayman of 2829 and 2831 Easton avenue, for $18,000. Dr. Sayman intends at once to wreck the improvements and build a four-story manufacturing building, covering the entire lot, with a 10-foot basement, to accommodate his growing business.

Also a three-story dwelling on the west side of Grand avenue, between Page and Cook, 62x130 feet, known as 1221, property of A. C. Cassidy, sold to Dr. Claude L. McElwee for $17,000. It is a three-story house, containing five rooms on the first floor with a large reception hall, five rooms on second floor and four rooms on the third floor, all finished in hard woods. The property was originally built at a cost of $22,500. Dr. McElwee will occupy it as a residence and for office purposes.

Also, sold house and lot No. 4422 Laclede avenue. Lot 30x177 feet, a 10-room, modern, reception hall, cemented cellar, and every modern improvement, for the sum of $5800. The property was owned by Mr. A. H. Norrish, and was sold to a client of Miller & Faribault.

Also, a lot on the south side of Theodosia avenue, 421 feet east of Hamilton avenue; 50x121 feet. Sold for $13 per front foot, or $650, cash. It was the property of E. F. Haley and sold to John Davies, who will immediately erect a two-story, six-room brick house.

Also sold a piece of land situated at the southeast corner of Delmar and De Baliviere avenues, 149x928 feet, extending from the south line of Delmar avenue to the north line of Kingsbury boulevard, at $45 per front foot,, or a total price of $42,210, to Gustavus Schuchmann, who purchased as an investment.

Also sold a two-story, six-room brick house on the north side of Mill street, between Jefferson and Beaumont, 25x120 feet, being house No. 2619, property of George W. Lupke, and sold to J. E. McKinney for $3300.

Also sold 2817 and 2819 Franklin avenue, lot 27x135, running through to Easton avenue, the whole lot covered by a two-story building, occupied by a hardware store on the first floor, and the second floor in two flats, property of Byron Nugent, and sold to Thomas L. Taaffe for $6200. It was bought by Mr. Taaffe as an investment, as the store and flats bring a monthly rental of $73.

Also, 4226 Page avenue, a two-story, eight-room modern built dwelling, property of E. L. Roederer, sold to Thomas C. Whitmarsh for $4500. Mr. Whitmarsh purchased this property for a home.

Also, 1536 North Ninth street, house containing 10 rooms, belonging to Mary G. O'Connell, administratrix, lot 25x130, sold to Geo. McDonald for $2800, prchased for a home.

Also, two six-room houses, 2211 and 2213 Adams street, lot 35x142 feet, renting for $30 per month, owned by Geo. Corning of Troy, N. Y., sold to Fred J. Wickenden for $2250, and purchased as an investment.

Also 50 feet on the north side of Cates avenue, 65 feet east of Hamilton avenue; property of J. B. Rozier of Memphis, Tenn., sold to William White for $2500. Mr. White has already begun the erection of a modern ten-room dwelling.

Also sold a lot 50x150 on the south line of Washington avenue, west of Lake avenue, property of S. L. Cohen, who was represented by the Mercantile Trust Co., to Newlin Chapman for $4100. Mr. Chapman will build on this lot a fine modern thirteen-room dwelling, with every modern improvement, for his future home.

Also house 4863 Greer avenue, with a lot 25x130, two-story seven-room brick dwelling, renting for $25 per month. Property of William H. Ehrlich, sold to James T. Graham for $3750.

Also 2811 Russell avenue, lot 50x135, property of W. V. Whittier, was sold to Fred J. Wickenden for $3700 and was purchased as an investment.

Also sold a lot on the north side of Manchester road, bounded on the east by Leffingwell avenue, having a frontage on Manchester road of 130 feet and a frontage on Leffingwell avenue of 83 feet, running through to Laclede avenue and having a frontage there of 126 feet, covered with improvements, renting for $200 per month, property of Samuel McGraw, sold to Nelson O. Brown for $15,600 cash and purchased as an investment.

Also lot on Russell avenue, north side, 275 feet west of Ohio, 25x125 feet, property of Carrie S. Johnson, sold to Philip H. Lenz for $800. Mr. Lenz will improve with a two-story, eight-room brick house for a home.

Also 6039 Maple avenue, 50 feet front, property of W. R. Fleming, sold to Rudolph A. Buerman for $3,600.

Also a lot on the north line of Washington avenue, between Leonard and Channing, 25x134 feet to a 20-foot alley. Property of Reid Northrup, sold to Theo. H. Temple at $60 per front foot.

Also the northwest corner of Bartmer and Allanthus avenues, a lot 64x103 feet, Property of Louis Gallantry and sold to John Davies for $1550.

Also No. 4708 Cottage avenue, lot 40x115 feet. Property of Charles Remington, sold to James S. Cummings for $2800.

Also 3116-16A Clark avenue, lot 25x135, two six-room brick houses, all in good repair, renting for $40 per month, property of John McNary and sold to a client of the Mathews Realty Co. for $3700.

Also, 3470 and 3472 Laclede avenue, lot 62x128, two nine-room stone front houses with all modern conveniences, renting for $70 per month, property of J. T. Farewell, sold to Mary L. Griffith, who purchased as an investment for $9500. The seller in this transaction was represented by Jos. L. Duffy.

Also, sold Soulard street, southeast corner of Eighth street, lot 91x90, two two-story brick buildings arranged in stores with rooms above. Also an eight-room house on Eighth street, renting for $1000 per year, property of J. E. McKinney, sold to Samuel McCraw for $9000. Mr. McCraw purchased for an investment.

Charles F. Vogel.

Charles F. Vogel reports the following:

No. 2821 Dayton street, a two-story brick residence containing seven rooms, bathroom, laundry and cellar; lot 25x118 feet; sold for $3225, from Henry Coburn of Indianapolis, Ind., to Frederich Gruene, who purchased for a home.

Also 1366 Temple place, in Mount Gamble, a two-story brick residence with slate roof, containing seven rooms, bathroom, reception hall, cemented laundry and cellar, with all modern conveniences; lot 25x125 feet; sold for $3200, from William Richardson to Mrs. Julia Wigand, who purchased for a home. Mr. Richardson is erecting ten houses in Temple place and has sold four of them during the past three weeks.

Also 3229 South Dakota street, a one-story and basement brick house containing four rooms, lot 25x115 feet; sold for $1500, from August H. Ulmer of Denver, Colo., to Mrs. Agatha Essenmacher, who purchased for a home.

Also lot 30x142 feet on the south side of Allen avenue, between Missouri and Jefferson avenues, sold for $750, from A. M. Attwater to William H. Temme, who purchased to improve. The Mercantile Trust Co. represented the grantor.

Mississippi Valley Trust Co.

The Mississippi Valley Trust Co. reports the sale of the northwest corner of Thirteenth street and Washington avenue for Charles Clark for $77,000, or $1925 per front foot. This property has a frontage of 40 feet on Washington avenue by a depth of 137 feet. The purchaser was L. E. Anderson of the Mercantile Trust Co. It is thought that Mr. Anderson was acting for others in this deal.

Aiple & Hemmelmann.

The Aiple & Hemmelmann Real Estate Co. report that they sold 1318 Morgan street, a three-story dwelling of 14 rooms with a lot 20x87, renting for $360 per annum, from the Argyle Real Estate and Investment Co., to C. J. Grellme for $4500.

Also 4323 Arco avenue, a one-and-a-half-story brick of five room, bath, closet, etc., with lot 24x127, for $2675, from W. H. Ragsdale to M. Daughety.

Also 6323 Virginia avenue, a two-story dwelling of two flats, four and five rooms, with lot 60x145, for $3850, from A. W. and M. Gronert to Minnie Moss.

Also a lot 25x143 on the south side of St. Louis avenue, west of Vandeventer avenue, for $625, from A. C. Shattinger to Mary E. Leverich.

Also 3424 Eads avenue, a two-story brick of two elegant and modern flats of five and six rooms, with a lot 30x125, for $5550, from Aiple & Hemmelmann Real Estate Co. to Sophia V. Schaum.

Nicholls-Ritter.

The Nicholls-Ritter Realty and Financial Co. report that the demand for improved and unimproved property has been quite heavy and that they have closed sales to the amount of $36,600 and have several others under way which they will close the early part of the week.

They sold for account of Mrs. A. K. Humphrey the attractive 13-room yellow brick residence, 4374 McPherson avenue, with a lot 42½x276 feet, to W. E. Grayson for $15,000. This is a full three-story building, the lower floors finished in hardwood and the upper floors in natural wood. The house is handsomely decorated throughout, and has been and is now the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Humphrey, but Mr. Grayson will make it his home after the 1st of May. This is the last one of the houses built by Mrs. Humphrey for sale on the south side of McPherson avenue and is a beautiful home. Mr. Grayson is to be congratulated upon getting such an attractive place.

They also sold to C. W. McFarland the southwest corner of McPherson avenue and King's highway boulevard, 106.3x196 feet, for $13,700, or about $130 per foot for account of the Mercantile Realty and Investment Company. Mr. McFarland has already arranged to build a handsome apartment house, and will begin work upon it at once. To show the enhancement in values in the last six months, this same lot was sold last October for $12,288, or $1500 less than the sale at the present time.

They also sold for acount of J. D. Dalton, to a client of Charles F. Vogel, the flats No. 2845 and 2847 McNair avenue, with lot 50x122 feet, for $2900. This was bought as an investment.

They also sold to Mrs. A. K. Humphrey, for account of the Fullerton estate, represented by J. R. Laughlin, the beautiful building lot on the north side of McPherson avenue, midway between Boyle and Newstead avenues, 30x142½ feet, for $5000.

The Nicholls-Ritter Realty and Financial Co. is having a number of inquiries for property which they have in the location of Forest Park, purchasers desiring acre tracts for subdividing into lots.

Henry Hiemenz, Jr.

Henry Hiemenz, Jr., reports the following:

Victor street, southwest corner of Arkansas avenue, lot 180x128, in the beautiful subdivision of Roe-Hampton, owned by Mrs. Emma C. Copelin, was sold for $10,080 to Mrs. F. Lohmann, who will erect five two-story modern houses of nine rooms each, with all the latest conveniences and improvements.

Tenth street, northwest corner of Neosho street, lot 62x150 feet, owned by Wm. A. Keefe, was sold to Charles E. Pflugbeil for $1000. He will improve with a dwelling.

Palm street, northwest corner of Twenty-first street, lot 26x150, owned by the Charles G. Stifel estate, was sold to Clemens Eckhoff for $1040.

Michigan avenue, east side, between Cherokee and Utah streets, 25x125, owned by Henry Hiemenz, Jr., was sold to Mrs. Elizabeth Seost for $450.

David P. Leahy.

The David P. Leahy Real Estate Co. report the following sales:

Northeast corner of Hunt and Tower Grove avenues, two brick buildings, corner building under lease to the National Brewery Co. for a term of five years, and two flats rented for $20 per month, consideration $6750, from Jerold J. Hyland to David Jamison, who bought for an investment.

Lot 25x105 on the south side of Maffitt avenue, between Goodfellow and Clara, from Geo. P. Prendergast to Catherine Hart, who will erect a three-room cottage. Consideration $250.

1493-95 Arlington avenue, four modern flats consisting of five and six rooms each, lot 51x125, from Frank A. Walsh to Patrick F. Grace. Consideration $7925.

1728 North Eleventh street, lot 25x125, improved with a six-room brick house, from Henry Eilerman to A. R. Horan. Consideration $2300. The purchaser bought for an investment.

Lot 50x105, on the north side of Spalding avenue, east of Goodfellow, from George P. Prendergast to Geo. Mitchell. Consideration $550.

No. 1728 North Eleventh street, lot 25x125, six-room house, from A. R. Horan to Dr. William L. Perry, who bought for a home. Consideration, $2900.

Lot 20x269 on the south side of Easton avenue, 295 feet east of Marcus, from John J. and Catherine Hart to Agnes Horan. Consideration, $2000.

Delmar avenue, north side, 225 feet east of Union, lot 35x165, from Patrick F. Grace to A. R. Horan. Consideration, $80 per foot. The purchaser will erect flats.

No. 4166 Westminster place, lot 25x145, three-room brick, from Charles Dick and wife to Thomas A. Wade for $2000. Mr. Wade bought for an investment.

Lot 50x150, west side of Shawmut place, near Minerva avenue, from Richard A. Boyle to a client who will erect four modern flats. Consideration, $25 per foot.

Lot 25x105 on the north side of Spalding avenue, west of Clara avenue, from George P. Prendergast to R. S. Bynum, who will improve with a four-room cottage. Consideration, $275.

Love & Sons.

This firm reports sales as below: Sold lot on Maple avenue, northeast corner of Academy, 35x137 feet, at $50 cash, from the Star Realty Co. to M. E. Johnson, who has already broken ground for a $8000 residence.

Also, a lot on Bayard avenue, west side, north of Fountain Park, 29x170 feet, sold at $35 per front foot, from Mr. Frank Moore to Dora Lyon; bought for improvement.

Also, a lot on Maple avenue, north side, 35 feet east of Academy, 35x137 feet, sold from the Star Realty Co. to A. M. and G. M. Johnson; will be finely improved; price $47.50 cash. McCormick, Kilgen & Rule aided in the sale.

Edward K. Love.

Edward K. Love reports having made the following sales for the past week, aggregating $6000:

House 921 West Cabanne court, eight-room frame on a lot 50x160, was sold to Sigmund Labsap from M. Taylor for $3000 cash.

Also 4725 Hogan place, a ten-room frame house on a lot 65x140, was sold for $3000, from G. H. Dudley to F. A. Rittenhouse.

Leading Transfers of the Week.

Cabanne av., 50 feet n. s., bet. Belt and Arcade. Herman D. Brandt and wife to Lucy J. Pearson; warranty deed	$18,000
Seventh st., 29 feet 2 inches, e. s., bet. Olive and Pine, City of St. Louis to Alanson D. Brown; warranty deed	102,602
West Pine st., 56 feet, n. s., bet. Sarah and Vandeventer, Anton Meglitsch, by trustee, to Annex Realty Co., trustee deed	10,000
Olive st., four-fifths interest in 100 feet n. s., bet. Sixth and Seventh, Virginia B. and Louis B. Sanford to George F. Tower, warranty	194,508
City Block 3801, Samuel T. McCormick and wife to Thomas L. Taffe, warranty	40,000

Building Permits.

St. Matthews' Parish; school building 65x100 ft., at 4102 Maffitt	$10,000
Locust St. Bldg. Co.; foundation of building at n. e. corner 8th and Locust	10,000
Miss A. M. Merrman; 2-story brick flat, at 5126-28 Page	6,700
Augustine Stanhope; brick residence, 27 ft. 6 in. by 36 ft. 6 in., at 4474 Laclede	4,000

Drummers Will Play Euchre.

The City Drummers' Association will give a euchre and lunch at Liederkranz Hall, Thirteenth and Chouteau avenue, Thursday evening, April 11.

1000 couples are expected to start the play. Over 200 useful prizes have been donated to the drummers by their employers. A $75 prize is offered to retail grocery players.

The committee which will have charge of the entertainment is composed of the following salesmen:

Arthur Kruer, H. Schroeder, C. Clark, Lee Gray, M. Link, J. L. Robinson, H. Ebricht, H. S. Parker, M. A. Klein and Nat Klein.

E. H. Richardson Dead.

E. H. Richardson, a former St. Louisan, died last Monday at Omaha, Neb. Mr. Richardson was a prominent ex-Confederate. He served as State Senator from the Sedalia, Mo. district and was a graduate of Trinity College, Dublin. Mrs. P. H. Tobin of 1331 Webster avenue, this city, sister to the deceased, attended the funeral.

Large Masonry Bridge Spans.

Consul General Guenther of Frankfort reports that a masonry bridge is being constructed across the valley of Petruffe, in Luxembourg, which will have the largest single span of any masonry bridge, viz., 277 feet of a span width, and a rising acclivity of 102 feet. Previous to this the largest masonry bridge span was that of Cabin John bridge, near Washington, viz., 220 feet, with a rising acclivity of 57½ feet, and a height above the water of 101 feet. Following Cabin John bridge comes the railroad bridge at Jarenge, over the Truth, followed by the Grosvenor bridge, over the Dee, at Chester. These three spans have been among the world's greatest architectural triumphs in bridge masonry.

Humor the Spice of Life.

If you are fortunate enough to have even the germ of a sense of humor cherish that carefully, says a writer in the Woman's Home Companion. It is the very salt and savor of life. Learn to smile over the foibles of your friends, loving them none the less, but more, because of their little weaknesses. Do not take people too seriously, and, above all, do not take yourself too seriously. You are only an atom in an incomprehensible universe, after all. Why find fault during your brief moment with the other atoms by your side? It surely will not pay.

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CORN RECOVERED LOSS

DECLINE ON PROFIT-TAKING NEARLY OVERCOME.

WHEAT MARKET WAS WEAK

Despite the Rally in Corn Futures the Fine Grain Appeared Heavy and Broke Readily.

There was heavy profit taking in the early part of the past week, as a result of which there were decided breaks recorded for all crop positions. Later support grew stronger and the decline in corn futures was nearly overcome, but wheat still was weak, and despite the steadier tone in the market for the coarse grain the fine grain closed yesterday around the low point of the week.

The weak tone of the wheat market was due largely to the bearish crop reports that were circulated, but the decline in corn was largely due to realizing sales and also sympathy with the decline in wheat.

The oats market held for a time, but then weakened and followed wheat and corn towards a lower level, but later with the rally in corn futures the oats positions worked higher and grew in demand. May wheat closed yesterday with a loss of 3⅞@4c for the week, July closed with a loss of 4⅝c for the week. May corn closed ½@⅝c down and July ½c down. May oats closed ⅛c down for the week.

In the early part of the week the outlook for the bull clique, which has been manipulating the local market, was decidedly gloomy, but after corn had declined nearly 3c the demand grew stronger and little buying was required to start the market upward. Shorts were anxious to cover their lines and take profits, and their trading, added to a good speculative demand, was responsible for a rapid shading upward in the crop positions of the coarse grain.

FUTURE PRICES.

	Closing March 30	Highest Last week	Lowest Last week	Closing Yesterday
WHEAT.				
May	74⅛b	73⅞	70 @70¼	70⅛@70¼
July	73⅝a	73¼	68⅞	69 a
CORN.				
May	42¾b	42¾	39⅞	42⅛@42¼
July	43⅛b	42¾	40⅜	42⅝b
OATS.				
May	26⅞a	27⅛	25¾@25⅞	26¾

Chicago Market Letter.

From J. F. Harris.

CHICAGO, Ill., April 6.—The severe break in wheat has so far resulted in easing the speculative position by forcing out the poorly held property, but has induced very little new buying for the long account. The bulk of the wheat sold was taken by shorts who have been eager for just such an opportunity. The general situation has contained nothing to invite purchases. The winter wheat crop promises well, the acreage is large, the weather favorable and but little complaint received of damage from the ravages of the hessian fly. There was a good demand for cash wheat for foreign account on the early decline, but these orders being filled, there was no renewal of demand as the markets continued to break. With spring weather favorable to the crops and the cash demand only fair, the holders of May wheat will be inclined to liquidate from now on and this will undoubtedly keep wheat on the market constantly. The pressure, therefore, will come in the selling side and without new motive to induce good general trade and a better speculative demand for wheat, the probabilities are that the wheat market is going to be a slow one and possibly one of a declining tendency. The present situation holds little comfort for believers in higher prices and every day brings us nearer to spring work in the northwest, under present conditions will result in an increased area of spring wheat seeding.

Corn is in a position of much strength. The recent attack on the long interests has been a boomerang, which has reacted on the bears. The heavy lines of long corn are undoubtedly protected liberally below the present market and have been proved to be tenaciously held. There is a skillful and successful leader on the bull side, back of which is not only the bullish sentiment of the Western corn growers, but a growing belief that Chicago prices are lower than the intrinsic value of corn warrants. Receipts of corn are not heavy, grading is poor, there is still a large outstanding short interest in corn and the May corn short may find some difficulty in getting his property back. This is going to be the actual market on our floor and gives every promise of scoring a further advance.

Oats have been very lively and have enjoyed thorough liquidation. Some of the old longs who held large lines have let go. New interests have come into the market and the advance in corn will be reflected somewhat in oats.

Provisions are in a strong natural position, while the price seems high, it also looks like further advance in hog products. Stocks are light and consumption keeps close up to the packers' collars. There is a fair sized shortage in Lard and Rice, which will probably be forced to cover, but provisions are in a position where they may go back to old time prices and hold the advance through the summer and fall.

The Grange; Strongest in the East.

From The Forum.

During the past 10 years there has been a widespread revival of interest in the organization of the grange and the outlook is exceedingly promising. Since 1890 the membership has increased not less than 75 per cent. New York at present has 500 subordinate granges with 43,000 members; Pennsylvania, 526 granges and 30,000 members; Maine, 275 granges with 29,000 members; New Hampshire, 260 granges with 24,000 members; Michigan, 420 granges and nearly 25,000 members. These states lead, but the order is also active and strong in Vermont, Connecticut, Ohio, Massachusetts. Thirty states pay dues to the national grange treasury, and 24 were represented by delegates at the last national grange.

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Funeral Parade by Night at Sea.

From the London Standard.

The Sixth New Zealand contingent embarked from Wellington on Saturday, the 26th of January—"a very silent lot," as, in consequence of the news of the Queen's death, there was no demonstration or music—455 men and 460 horses. The following excerpt is from a letter from one of the number:

"On Saturday night, the 2d of February, we had a silent parade at sea at 10:40. This would be 12 o'clock noon in England, the hour when our dear old Queen was to be buried. Col. Banks had arranged with the captain of the Cornwall to strike 12 at 10:40. The men fell in 10 minutes before, and at the last stroke of 12 the colonel gave the word, 'Stand at ease.' The bugler sounded one G, which was the sign for the guard and sentries to stand at ease; the ship's engines had been stopped, and there was not a move or whisper for 10 minutes; although the ship was slightly rolling, not a foot moved. At the end of 10 minutes the bugler sounded the 'Last Post,' and the men then filed off to their hammocks without a word. * * * I suppose this was the only funeral parade at sea, as we were the first to embark for action since Edward VII was proclaimed King."

Good Index of Business.

From the New York [illegible]ld.

Uncle Sam is w[illegible] overtime to supply the enormous demand [illegible]stage stamps of the 1 and 2-cent deno[illegible] As an indication of business pr[illegible] certainly a million do[illegible] congratulat[illegible]

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From the London Daily Grap

Gold is always being disco the most unlikely places, and a Germ er has now startled his countrymen b tatement of his reasons for supposing that there are auriferous deposits worth about £7,000,000 in the bed of the Rhine, between Basle and Wiesemburg. Unfortunately, it is one thing to know that the gold is there and another thing to get it out.

MUST FIGHT FOR INDIAN BRIDES

Too Many Pale Faces After Chiefs' Daughters.

MISS GERONIMO IS PRETTY

BUT TO WED HER THE MAN MUST KILL THE FATHER.

Famous Chieftain Will Not Permit Miss Eva to Follow Other Indian Girls' Example and Marry White Man.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SOUTH M'ALESTER, I. T., April 6.—There is renown in store for the white man hardy enough to win Miss Eva Geronimo as his bride.

Not that making love to this most winsome of all the dusky Comanche maidens requires hardihood. Far from it. Miss Eva has a score of swains at the present moment. She has been engaged to be married half a dozen times.

And now that she has a fortune as well as a pretty face to lure possible suitors with—she is one of the group of Indian girls endowed with land and cash dowries—the competition is really becoming desperate.

But Miss Geronimo's case is peculiar. She has a father—doughtiest of warriors, most rigorous of parents. And Chief Geronimo, now a prisoner of war at Fort Sill, in the heart of the Kiowa and Comanche reservation, has opinions of his own in regard to matrimony.

He believes for instance that the daughter of an illustrious Indian chief should never stoop to union with a white man. Geronimo hates white men—scorns them. And as for admitting one into the family as a son-in-law—well, the astute chieftain thinks he has prevented that by making the following stipulation:

Any white man who wishes to marry his daughter Eva must first worst her father in a duel!

That is to say, Geronimo is willing to kill as many white men as choose to offer themselves up as a sacrifice.

So far the effect of the old man's proclamation has been magical. Youths who fancied their heartstrings irrevocably bound about the chieftain's daughter have discovered that after all it took less courage to break an engagement than to stand up and be murdered by Geronimo. So the line of suitors has grown shorter and thinner every day. And as for Miss Eva, what with the cruelty of fathers and the inconstancy of lovers, she is fairly heartbroken.

Geronimo's Daughter Fair to Look Upon.

Yet she is a fairer maiden than you would meet in a day's walk; tall, supple, proud in her bearing, keen of eye and quick of wit; of an excellent ancestry and a neat little fortune to her credit. Altogether a tempting lure for an adventurous and discerning young man who would like to win distinction by a personal encounter with the most noted man-killer in the world.

This singular circumstance arises from the present unparalleled rush for Indian brides of the Kiowa and Comanche tribes.

These are all comely, of course. But the impetus behind the suitors lies doubtless in the dowries.

At all events the race for brides is already well on, and it is a hot one. Duel after duel has been fought. Score after score has been settled. Hardly any bride may be had for the asking. The Indian maidens are in a position to pick and choose.

Each bride is worth from $2000 to $5000. Some are worth $10,000. The dowry is in land and cash. Already many of the brides are in possession of their lands, and fine farms they are getting, too.

They are allowed quarter sections from the Kiowa and Comanche reservation, 3,000,000 acres in extent, including some of the richest agricultural land in the Southwest.

With the population that is certain to follow the opening of this land to white settlement the farms will be worth from $3500 to $5000 each. Besides the land, each Indian will draw several thousand dollars from the government in cash for the land, which is being given away to whites and which formerly belonged to these Indians.

So when the news spread that this fine land was to be given away hundreds of young men packed their grips and headed for it. When they reached the borders they found thousands of white people already gathered there. The squaws were for the most part well-bred-looking girls and smiled upon the young palefaces in such a manner that many courtships followed.

Fought Two Duels to Win His Bride.

Indian girls do not like the cowboys who swarm about their villages, and when the young easteners came they were at first only too glad to marry them. Last month nearly 500 weddings were celebrated on the Kiowa and Comanche reservation, and this month the number will be doubled.

There are not over 2000 girls of marriageable age, but they will be gone before the land is opened. The young men who have taken these squaws for their wives have gone into the reservation, laid out farms and are putting in crops.

They will be rich before their fellow white men who are married have had an opportunity to make the race.

One of the prettiest girls to marry a white man lately was Nellie Bull Tail, an aristocratic and wealthy Comanche girl. Before she was wed two duels were fought and the man who married her was the victor in both.

George Harris of Albany, N. Y., was a young doctor who went to Chickasha and waited for the opening. That was two months ago. With him were Albert Daly of Tennessee and William Rickards of Pittsburg. The last-named was a coal miner. He won the duels and the squaw. The three men each set up a furious wooing for the heart and hand of Miss Bull Tail, who had been educated in the East and could entertain all three of them in her tepee at once without becoming embarrassed.

But the young men wanted her exclusive attention, and when she was proposed to by all three she called them to her tepee one night and said:

"Boys, I want to do the fair thing. You must fight it out like the cowboys do, and the man who wins I will marry."

Rickards fought Harris and wounded him. Then he met Daly and shot him through the shoulder. Both men agreed that they had been whipped, but called upon the young coal miner to pay their doctors' bills, as he was going to fall into a fortune. He did so and has promised to help each of his opponents to find another squaw apiece.

Rickards has gone into the reservation and has not been heard from since his marriage. It is supposed that he is planting his crops.

TRUSTS SAVE NEW JERSEY

Tax Collected on Incorporation Papers Amounts to $50,000 Every Twenty-Four Hours.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

TRENTON, N. J., April 6.—At the end of the fiscal year in 1870 New Jersey had to its credit a balance of only $2760 in the state treasury. Today there is a balance of $1,000,000, with another million in sight for the fiscal year ending November, 1901. The liberal trust law has been the means of effecting this change.

The month of March this year broke all records for incorporations. Ten charters were issued daily on the average and a tax of $50,000 collected each 24 hours. During the past two years 4186 certificates of incorporation were filed with the state, an average of six a day, including Sundays.

While the total of incorporations in 1900 was $1,350,298,485, the total to date for 1901 exceeds that amount, with a fair promise of reaching the two billion-dollar mark.

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All Plain to Him.

From the Chicago Tribune.

"Here," said the foreman of the pressroom, leading his visitors into another department, "are the great presses. The matter is stereotyped in the form of curved plates, these are placed on the cylinders and as they revolve they leave their impression on the paper that unwinds from that huge roll at the back of the press."

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Chiromancer Told Him He Would Be Exiled.

MME. DE THEBES' PREDICTIONS

EUROPE IN BIG WAR FOR GERMAN PROVINCES.

Seance Was in Berlin at Invitation of Kaiser, Who Attended It in Full Uniform, His Hands Crossed Upon His Saber.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.
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PARIS, April 6.—Mme. de Thebes, the famous old chiromancer, who foretold Khartoum's fall, the Carnot assassination, Faure's sudden death and Victoria's demise, the latter to the exact hour, has just returned from Berlin. She claims she was summoned there 10 days ago by order of the Kaiser, who, hearing of her fame, expressed a desire to consult her.

Mme. de Thebes says that when she reached Berlin the Kaiser postponed the seance from day to day, because, as he afterwards admitted to the chiromancer, he feared what the cards would reveal about his future.

At last he sent a carriage for Mme. de Thebes and received her in full uniform standing with hands crossed upon his saber the whole hour and a half the seance lasted.

The Kaiser, at the start, was impressed nervously with secret facts the woman told about his past.

He listened to what she predicted of his future with intense earnestness, pressing her eagerly with questions. Mme. de Thebes attributes the violence of his recent Berlin speech to what she found in the cards. Part of this was a prediction of the disruption of the German empire, precipitated by the discontent of the minor sovereigns against the preponderance of Prussia. Prussia itself, she told the Kaiser, would rise against Wilhelm, led by a republican and a socialist, on the first pretext.

After this coming turmoil, and the death of the Austrian Emperor, causing a separation of the Hungarian portion, there will be a general European war over the allotment of the remaining provinces.

Mme. de Thebes predicted that the Kaiser would die in England 23 years hence, exiled by his people. She refused to give further details of the interview beyond reporting the farewell words of the Emperor:

"Adieu, madam, your predictions won't sway me, but I shall be interested to see what share of them come true. Pray, do not speak of the interview, if being a woman, you can be so discreet."

What De Wet Has Forgotten.

From the Pittsburg Dispatch.

Up to the present writing Gen. de Wet has been exceedingly neglectful about handing in his surrender.

BLACKHEADS

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Blackheads—more commonly known as flesh worms—are caused by the failure of the follicles or pores which have become sluggish and inactive to perform their natural functions; the sebaceous matter thus becoming clogged in the gland-ducts, produces a morbid, unsightly condition of the skin.

By lateral pressure with the fingers or a watch key the secretion can be removed, but this does not effect a cure, and repeated squeezing is apt to pit or cause the pores to become enlarged, which is even more unsightly and disfiguring.

With my scientific treatments, specially prepared to meet the requirements of each individual case, I speedily and permanently cure blackheads, large pores, pimples and all disorders affecting the skin, scalp, complexion and nervous system, and thirty years' practical experience enables me to fully guarantee a complete cure in all cases undertaken by me.

This face was completely cleared and otherwise improved by me, and she is now happy.

If anything is wrong with your eyes, nose, ears, mouth, lips, chin, throat and your skin, if wrinkled, crinkled, withered and flabby, or clouded with pimples, eruptions, blackheads, enlarged pores, moles, warts, freckles, blotches, superfluous hair or any other blemish in, on or under the skin, call or write me, and if the name of the paper is given, I will advise you without charge how to proceed in order to obtain clear-cut, shapely features, a clean, healthy scalp and lustrous hair, a smooth, clear, natural skin and brilliant complexion, without wrinkle, pimple, spot or blemish. Consultation in person or by letter is free and strictly confidential. Call or write

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SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH. MAGAZINE
SUNDAY MORNING, ST LOUIS, APRIL 7, 1901.

JOHN O'RIELLY 922 BENTON ST.

Today He Is Risen!

Easter Hymn sung by the Gregorian Sanctuary Choir of St. Michael's Church Eleventh and Clinton Streets.

BYRNE PADON 3023 CLARK AVE.

To day He's risen.
Death no more
Shall bind Him to
the grave.
No more can hell or
sin's fell power
O'er Him dominion
have.

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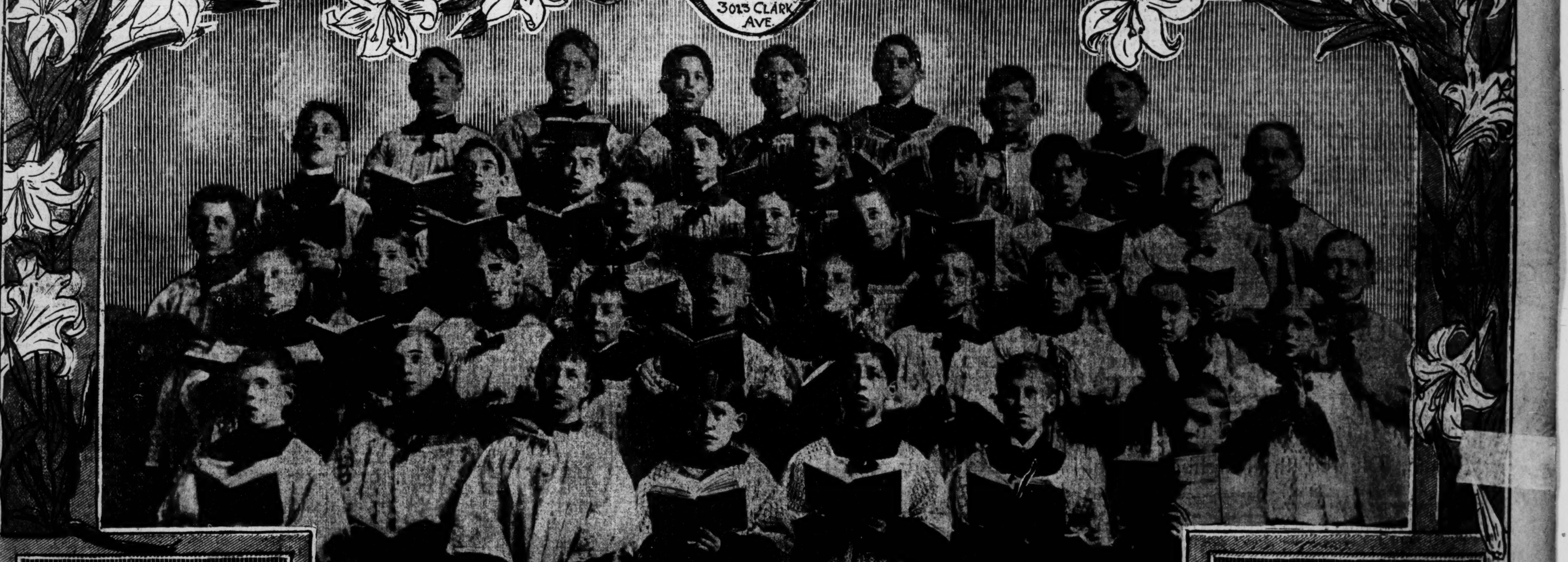
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- Arthur Wotler, 1221 Monroe street.
- Frank Booth, 926 Benton street.
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THIS morning, Easter Sunday, at the celebration of grand solemn high mass at 10:30 o'clock, the Gregorian Sanctuary Choir of St. Michael's Church at Eleventh and Clinton streets will make its first pretentious appearance in public.

This is the only choir of its kind in St. Louis. It consists of 40 boys ranging in age from 7 to 12 years.

All of them attend St. Michael's parochial school, two blocks north of the church.

They will sing the beautiful Easter processional hymn, "Today He's Risen," after which the clergy will proceed to the foot of the altar and burst forth in hallelujahs to the risen Christ.

Throughout the mass the 40 trained juvenile voices will respond with the Gregorian chant to the prayers of the celebrant. When the celebrant comes to the preface of the mass the real beauty and harmony of the chant will be observed, and on this occasion it is expected to be particularly effective.

At the offertory Master Adrian Padon, a member of the choir, a noted boy soprano, will sing "The Holy City." At the conclusion of the mass the whole choir will sing "Glory to God in the Highest," and the organist, Miss McCabe, will play an Easter recessional march.

This juvenile body of singers participated in the services of holy week, commencing last Wednesday morning, but it is today that the boys will be formally launched on their career as sanctuary singers. They will appear each Sunday hereafter.

The 16 youngest will be dressed in red cassocks; the next 12 above them in royal purple and the 12 oldest in black, with white lace, making a total of 40.

These boys have been trained by Rev. T. J. Reynolds, the young assistant rector to Father M. J. McCabe, who came here a few months ago from Boston. The choir was Father Reynolds' idea. He organized it from the boys of the parish about the first of the year, and has been training his youthful charges diligently ever since. All of them live in the vicinity of the church, which extends from Tenth to Eleventh street, the south side being bounded by Clinton street.

ADRIAN PADON 3023 CLARK AVE.

HOW IS THE DATE OF EASTER DETERMINED?

An Intricate Mathematical Problem Explained for Sunday Post-Dispatch Readers.

WHY THE FEAST IS MOVABLE AND A CAREFUL EXPOSITION OF THE MEANS BY WHICH THE DAY IS FOUND, WRITTEN BY THE PROFESSOR OF ASTRONOMY OF ST. LOUIS UNIVERSITY.

DO YOU know how the date of Easter is ascertained? Do you know if you were to desire to learn the date of Easter Sunday of the year 1950, or any other year in the future, not one person in ten thousand could tell you?

It is so. The location of Easter is one of the great problems in astronomy and mathematics. It is so because of all the annular festivals of the world Easter alone has no fixed date, but is located according to the phases of the moon, in deference to a religious custom of many centuries ago. If our Christmas and Thanksgiving days, our Fourths of July and our Washington birthdays were located by the moon's phases as Easter is found, young America would spend a considerable portion of its school days mastering these few things. For dates dependent upon the moon's phases are difficult of determination. That is the reason one might hunt half of St. Louis over and never find a person able to tell the date upon which Easter will fall in the St. Louis World's Fair year.

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THE location of Easter Sunday has been a theme for contention many hundreds of years. It has caused dissensions in church, state and the home. It has, indeed, been one of the matters upon which the whole world has never been able to agree and over which for many hundreds of years there was continuous controversy.

The difficulties concerning the location of Easter in the early part of the Christian era were not wholly those of our day. It is difficult for us to locate it, because there is no fixed calendar date upon which it is to be celebrated, but a date dependent upon the phases of the moon and the vernal equinox, which are irregular. The early disputants added to this astronomical difficulty of locating the day a controversy as to the adoption of a general Easter day. The Christians, for instance, sought to locate their Easter so it would not fall on the Easter day of the Jews, but in spite of their earnest deliberations the Christian and the Jewish Easter have many times fallen upon the same day and will continue to cross paths.

The Christian festival of Easter, as everyone knows, is to commemorate the resurrection of Our Lord. The crucifixion took place during the Jewish Pasch, or the Passover, an annual feast, in which the Jews celebrated the anniversary of the day upon which their avenging angel passed over Egypt and afflicted their captors. According to the Mosaic prescription, the Pasch was celebrated, or rather the celebration began, on the 14th day of the first month. The Jewish months were lunar months—that is, they began with the new moon and ended with the next new moon. The year began with the beginning of spring, and the beginning of spring seems to have been determined by the state of the vegetation. The 14th day of the first month accordingly was always at the time of full moon, and the solemn events commemorated during our Eastertide occurred about the time of full moon.

The festival of Easter was celebrated by the Christian church from its very inception, but there was great diversity in the beginning about the date on which it should be celebrated. In some localities the actual anniversary of the day was observed as a feast, in other localities the date was determined according to the prescription of the Mosaic law. A general council at Nicaea in 325 ended both this diversity and all controversies arising therefrom by giving authoritative directions to the following effect:

"The festival of Easter is to be celebrated on the Sunday which occurs next after the first full moon after the beginning of spring."

If the moon becomes full upon the day on which spring begins, the Sunday after the next full moon is, of course, indicated by the directions. If the moon becomes full on a Sunday, the next Sunday similarly must be Easter day.

The history of this controversy as to the location of Easter includes some amusing stories of the insistence of people upon one belief and another. A story is told of a European of prominence who celebrated Easter every year on the very same day on which his wife celebrated Palm Sunday. Another story is told of a devout old couple in Germany who refused to abide by a new church decree relative to Easter. The decree altered the date, and on the day they were accustomed to going to the Easter services the old people walked from their home to the church. They found the church closed and no Easter service in progress. The old gentleman beat upon the door with his stout stick and demanded admittance, and when there was no response from the uninhabited church the old people retraced their steps to celebrate Easter at home.

The "beginning of spring" specified in the Nicene directions is the instant in which the sun's center is vertically above the earth's equator, or it is the time of the vernal equinox. In the present knowledge of the arrangement of the solar system and our calendar this event occurs on the 20th or 21st day of March, according to the longitude in which the observer happens to be, but modified by another cause which will appear presently.

There is another circumstance which makes it somewhat difficult to give general directions for knowing when spring begins to those who cannot determine it by astronomical observations, and it is this: If a whole number of days intervened between two successive vernal equinoxes, this entire number of days could be so divided among the twelve months that the equinox would always occur at the same time of the same day of the same month. As a matter of fact, the number of days in our year, as determined by the course of the sun, is a whole number of days and some hours, minutes and seconds, being 365 days, 5 hours, 48 minutes and 46 seconds. Hence it is quite evident that the vernal equinox cannot occur at the same hour of the same date, even if the observer has not changed his residence during the year. The first pretty successful compromise in this matter was made by the Roman general, Julius Cesar, before the beginning of the Christian era. He assumed the actual length of the year to be 365 days and 6 hours, and decreed that every year should have 365 days, but that the fourth year should have 366 days, to take account of the six odd hours omitted from the reckoning of each of the preceding three years, together with the same six hours due to the fourth year, since known as the Leap Year.

This Julian rule was adopted by the church, but as time went on it became more and more noticeable that the beginning of spring according to the Julian rule, and the real beginning of spring, as indicated by the visible course of the sun, were drifting further and further apart. This was, of course, due to the fact that Cesar had assumed the year to be more than 11 minutes longer than it really was. The Easter festival in consequence was approaching the summer time.

Pope Gregory XIII undertook to rectify this matter, or to bring back the festival of Easter to the time intended by the Nicene rule. Easter was brought back to the proper time by the papal decree, ordaining that the day next after the 4th of October, 1582, should be called the 15th of October instead of the 5th. This discarded the 10 days, by which the Julian reckoning had outrun the sun during the 12 centuries since the council of Nicaea. To prevent the recurrence of such an error, the following Leap Year rule is now in force:

"Every year whose number is exactly divisible by 4 is to be Leap Year, but if the year is divisible by 100 exactly, it is to be a common year, unless the year is divisible by 400, when it is again to be a Leap Year."

This rule determined by a commission of mathematicians appointed by Pope Gregory, will keep the beginning of spring in the immediate neighborhood of March 20 or 21 for many thousand years to come.

The most troublesome factor involved in the Nicene rule is the determination of the time of the full moon. Our "months" are slightly distorted remnants of the originally intended true lunar months, which would begin with one new moon and end with the next. The interval from new moon to new moon is 29 days, 12 hours, 44 minutes and some seconds—12.369 of such moons are equivalent to one solar year. Hence in two successive years the dates of the full moons will be about 11 days apart. If it were just 11 days, or any other number of entire days, a rule for finding the date of any full moon in any year could be readily formulated, but it is 11 days and a fraction. The mathematical elements involved in the actual calculation are extremely numerous, and the history of the process covers several thousand years.

Here is a rule for finding the date of Easter in any year. It is adapted from Chambers' Descriptive Astronomy (Oxford, 1877) and represents a great deal of hard thinking and earnest effort upon the part of the person who devised it. It is, so far as I know, the only means by which Easter may be determined by persons unfamiliar with astronomy or the older and more complex rules for locating the day in use many years ago. It is simple. It looks difficult, but anyone may understand by reading closely:

1. Add 1 to the number of the year in which you want to locate Easter (in locating Easter for next year, 1902, add 1 and we get 1903.)

2. Divide the number of the year by 4; neglect the remainder and keep the quotient. (In our example the number of the year is 1902. Dividing it by 4 we get 475. The remainder is 2; 475 is the quotient. We throw away the 2 and keep the 475.)

3. Take 16 from the centurial number of the year, if possible. Keep remainder. (The centurial number of the year in our example is 19. Taking 16 from it we have left 3, which we keep.)

4. Divide the result of the third rule by 4; neglect remainder and keep quotient. (After applying third rule to our example we had 3. Dividing 3 by 4 we get 0. This is the quotient. The remainder is 3, which we neglect.)

5. Subtract the result of the third rule from the combined results of rules 1, 2 and 4. Keep remainder. (In our example the result of rule 3 was 3. The combined results of rules 1, 2 and 4 was 1903 plus 475 plus 0, making 2378. By subtracting 3 from this we get 2375.

6. Divide by 7 the result of rule 5; neglect quotient and keep remainder. (In our example the result of rule 5 was 2375. Dividing this by 7 we get 339, with a remainder of 2. We keep only the remainder.)

7. Subtract the result of rule 6 from the figure 7. This will give the number of the Dominical letter. (Never mind what the Dominical letter is; it's another story and a long one. Go ahead and follow the rules.) In our example the result of rule 6 was 2. Subtracting 2 from 7 leaves us 5. Here are the Dominical letters and their numbers:

A	B	C	D	E	F	G
1	2	3	4	5	6	7

(So our Dominical letter, the result of rule 7 being 5, is E.)

8. Divide the result of rule 1 by 19. Keep the remainder. If there is no remainder keep 19 as the remainder. The remainder as described is the Golden Number. (Never mind what the Golden Numbers are. Another story. Suffice it to say that one Thales, a Greek, devised the Golden Numbers when the calendar was being arranged, and that for his ingenuity the Greeks raised to him a marble column, with his numbers inlaid in gold. But to return to our example: The rule says to divide the result of rule 1 by 19. The result of rule 1 in our example was 1903. Dividing it by 19, we get 100, with a remainder of 3. This 3 is the Golden Number.)

9. From the centurial number of the year subtract 17. Divide the remainder by 25. Neglect remainder and keep the quotient. (In our example the centurial number is 19. Subtracting 17, we have 2. Dividing 2 by 25 gives us 0. The remainder is 2, which is neglected.)

10. Subtract the result of rule 9, plus 15, from the centurial figures. Divide the result by 3. Neglect the remainder; keep the quotient. (The result of rule 9 was 0. By adding 15 to it we get 15. The centurial figure in our example is 19. Subtracting 15 from it we have 4. Dividing this by 3 we get 1 and a remainder of 1. We keep the quotient, which is 1.)

11. To the result of rule 8 add ten times the result of rule 8 minus 1. Divide the sum by 30. Neglect the quotient, and keep the remainder. (In our example the result of rule 8 was 3. Minus 1, it is 2. Multiplied by 10, it is 20, and added to the result of rule 8 it is 23. Divided by 30, it gives 0, with a remainder of 23. We keep the remainder.)

12. Add the results of rules 11, 10 and 4. Subtract from the sum the result of rule 3. Divide by 30. Neglect quotient. Keep remainder. If the remainder is 24 make it 25. If the remainder is 25 make it 26. In case the Golden Number (the result of rule 8) is greater than 11. If the remainder is 0 make it 30. The result of all this is the Epact, a calendar key. (In our example this is easier than the rule indicates. We add the results of rules 10, 11 and 4. This gives us 24. Subtracting the result of rule 3 from the sum we get 21. Dividing this by 30, we get 0, with a remainder of 21. This is the epact.)

When the epact is 23 or less:	When it is greater than 23:
XIII. Subtract the result rule 12 from 45. Keep remainder.	XIII. Subtract the result of rule 12 from 75. Keep remainder.

(In our example we use the first rule, because our epact is less than 23. Subtracting the result of rule 12, which is 21, from 45, we get 24.)

When the epact is 23 or less:	When it is greater than 23:
XIV. Subtract the epact from 27. Divide by 7. Keep quotient; neglect remainder.	XIV. Subtract the epact from 57. Divide by 7. Neglect quotient and keep remainder.

Our example epact is 21. Subtracting it from 27 gives us 6. Dividing it by 7 gives us 0, with a remainder of 6, which we keep.)

15. Add the results of rules 13 and 7, and add 7 more if the result of rule 14 is greater than the result of rule 7. Subtract the result of rule 14 from the sum. The result is the number of days from the beginning of March to and including Easter day. Hence if the number is 31 or less, it is the day of March on which Easter falls. If it is greater than 31, subtract the latter number and the result will be the day of April on which Easter falls.

(In our example we add the results of rules 13 and 7, and add 7 because the result of rule 14 is greater than the result of rule 7. This gives us 36. We subtract the result of rule 14, which is 6, from this sum, giving us 30. This is the number of days after the beginning of March on which Easter will occur in 1902 Thirty days after the beginning of March will be March 30. So Easter of 1902 will fall on March 30.)

RULES.

(The rules and the example follow in separate form)

I. Add 1 to the number of the year in question.

II. Divide the number of the year by 4, neglect remainder, keep the quotient.

III. Take 16 from the centurial number of the year, if possible. Keep remainder.

IV. Divide III by 4, neglect remainder. Keep quotient.

V. From I plus II plus IV substract III. Keep remainder.

VI. Divide V by 7, neglect quotient. Keep remainder.

VII. Subtract VI from 7. This is the number of the Dominical Letter.

A	B	C	D	E	F	G
1	2	3	4	5	6	7

VIII. Divide I by 19. Neglect quotient. Keep the remainder (if there is no remainder keep 19 as the remainder). The remainder as described is the Golden Number.

IX. From the centurial number of the year subtract 17. Divide the remainder by 25. Neglect the remainder. Keep the quotient.

X. Subtract IX plus 15 from the centurial figures. Divide the result by 3. Neglect remainder. Keep the quotient.

XI. To VIII add 10 times (VIII — 1). Divide the sum by 30. Neglect quotient. Keep remainder.

XII. Add XI plus X plus IV. Subtract III from the sum. Divide by 30. Neglect quotient. Keep remainder. If the remainder is 24 make it 25. If the remainder is 25 make it 26, in case the Golden Number (VIII) is greater than 11. If the remainder is 0 make it 30. The result of all this is the epact.

When the epact is 23 or less:	When the epact is greater than 23:
XIII. Subtract XII. from 45. Keep remainder.	XIII. Subtract XII. from 75. Keep remainder.
XIV. Subtract the epact from 27. Divide by 7. Neglect quotient. Keep remainder.	XIV. Subtract the epact from 57. Divide by 7. Neglect quotient. Keep remainder.

XV. Add XIII to VII (add 7 more, if XIV is greater than VII). Subtract XIV from the sum. The result is the number of days from the beginning of March to and including Easter day. Hence if the number is 31 or less, it is the day of March on which Easter falls. If it is greater than 31, subtract the latter number, and the remainder will be the day of April on which Easter falls.

EXAMPLE.

I. 1902, plus 1, equals 1903.

II. 1902, divided by 4, equals 475: remainder 2.

III. 19, minus 16, equals 3.

IV. 3, divided by 4, equals 0; remainder 3.

V. 1903, plus 475, plus 0, equals 2378; 2378, minus 3, equals 2375.

VI. 2375, divided by 7, equals 339; remainder 2.

VII. 7, minus 2, equals 5. The number of the dominical letter.

VIII. 1903, divided by 19, equals 100; remainder 3, the golden number.

IX. 19, minus 17, equals 2. 2, divided by 25, equals 0; remainder 2.

X. 0, plus 15, equals 15. 19, minus 15, equals 4. 4, divided by 3, equals 1; remainder 1.

XI. 3, plus 10, multiplied by 2, equals 23. 23 divided by 30, equals 0; remainder 23.

XII. 23, minus 1, minus 0, equals 24. 24, minus 3, equals 21. 21, divided by 30, equals 0; remainder 21. 21 is the epact.

XIII. 45, minus 21, equals 24.

XIV. 27, minus 21, equals 6. 6, divided by 7, equals 0; remainder 6.

XV. 24, plus 5, plus 7, equals 36. 36, minus 6, equals 30. Easter next year will be March 30.

Last year a peculiar circumstance occurred. At full moon, sunrise and moon rise are of course 12 hours apart. This happened last year at some time near 3 a. m., on Sunday, the 15th of April, if we reckon by Greenwich time, and strictly astronomical figures. Hence, according to the Nicene rule, Easter should apparently have been on the Sunday next following. But 3 a. m. Greenwich time is 9 p. m. of the day before for St. Louis. Hence for the whole of America, and far into the Atlantic, Easter as determined by the ecclesiastical reckoning fell on the date according to the prescription. Astronomers find it extremely difficult to determine the moon's place at any time, even when the time is not three centuries away; secondly, astronomers of the present day have at their disposal the accurate observations of three centuries, which the calculators employed by Gregory XIII lacked, hence it is remarkable that the plan they devised in 1582 can be relied on within such a very slight margin of error. Such cases happen rarely. Hence, since Easter determined according to the Gregorian prescription will always fall at about the time intended by the Nicene council, there is no call for a new refinement of the excellent work done before 1582.

ROUNDUP AND SLAUGHTER OF WILD ANIMALS IN THE WEST.

Four Men Killed in the Hunt, But Colin Campbell, Ranchman, Cleared the Neighborhood of Marauding Beasts.

DRAGOON, Ariz., March 30.
Special Correspondence of the Sunday Post-Dispatch.

THE greatest round-up and slaughter of wild beasts ever known in the southwest has just been finished on the Colin Campbell ranch, close to the Mexican border.

As a result, four men are dead, clawed to death by grizzlies, and more than fifty others are nursing wounds received from their maddened prey, and dozens of dogs, the best hunters in the territory, are dead.

To offset this loss the ranchmen and the Indians who helped them have the pelts of five grizzlies, 13 mountain lions, 12 lynx and more than three hundred other wild animals.

The Campbell ranch is one of the largest in the territory. Most of it lies in the foothills of the Calluro range; between them, the Dragoon mountains and the Huachuch reservation. There water holes are plenty, the grazing is good and the cattle have done well.

A cattleman expects some loss from wild animals. Even the most watchful cowboys cannot kill all the wandering lions and coyotes which are prowling around, looking for a chance to gobble up a stray calf or yearling. So the owner comes to figure on a certain percentage of loss.

But this year things were worse than had ever been known. The food on which lions and grizzlies had been accustomed to subsist seemed to fail and the wild beasts came down from the mountains in numbers never before known. Their prey was the young cattle of the many scattered herds, and not a day passed but the fence riders reported that dozens of calves and yearlings had been killed. The force of men on guard over the cattle was nearly doubled, but though the cowboys killed many of the marauding animals they could not stop the losses.

The Campbell ranch is owned by a stock company, nearly all of the capital being held in the East and the superintendent knew that if the losses kept on there would be no dividend. So he bought more firearms. But this did no good.

Then the superintendent decided that something more effective had to be resorted to. So he called in Charley Montgomery and asked him for advice.

If there is anyone in Arizona able to settle trouble, Montgomery is the man. He has a reputation all over the southwest as a famous hunter and fighter. As a scout he had few equals, and when Crook was carrying on his campaign against the Apaches, Charley Montgomery was his chief of scouts.

The old veteran advocated a huge round-up of all the "varmints" on the range. That was the only way he knew to kill them off. The advice was accepted and Montgomery was asked to carry out the plan.

Montgomery called all the cowboys who could be spared from the range work. Then he went over to the Pima reservation and bargained for 100 of the best bucks.

The Pimas have been having a hard time to make a living and they were glad of a chance to make a little money, even if the opportunity for a big hunt had not been joined with it.

Two days later the Indians appeared under Antonio Herme, a former chief. When they got there everything was ready and that night every man got as much ammunition as he could carry.

Before daybreak in the morning Montgomery was ready to begin. With his Indians and cowboys he had nearly 150 men—real men, too, not a make-believe among them. Every one was a good shot, and not a one but would be willing to tackle anything that might come his way.

His plan was to start at the mouth of the valley, below which no wild beasts would be found during the day, and to advance up, scaring and driving what animals they should come across ahead into a box canon—a rocky cul-de-sac with precipitious walls which fromed the end of the valley.

The plan succeeded, but at a terrible cost. The number of grizzlies and mountain lions was beyond what he had figured.

As the men started up the country the dogs ran about without finding any beasts. They had been out half an hour before the first coyote showed himself and he was dropped before he made three jumps. After the start, though, things began to get lively. Coyotes by the score were frightened from their hiding places. Many were driven ahead of the men, or when they tried to escape were shot or pulled down by the dogs. There were nearly two hundred of these in the game.

The hunt had been on for more than four hours before the first grizzly was seen. He had been roused by the coyotes and was trotting up the valley. Shots were taken at him apparently without effect.

At first but few of the fleeing animals had been in sight of the hunters, but as the valley grew narrower they were forced more from cover. Then it was seen that there were several grizzlies and a number of lions, and the hunters made up their minds that the round-up would not end without trouble.

In a few minutes one of the grizzlies decided that a climb up the steadily narrowing canon was better than fight. So he tried it. Jose Pacheco and Juan Rojas started after him. The course of the big brute kept him hidden much of the time by loose boulders.

The Indians on foot, with knives and rifles, followed. Whenever they had a chance they pumped lead at him. They were so intent on their prey that they did not think of any danger until they found themselves face to face with another grizzly.

Almost instantaneously they fired at him, but the bullets did not kill, and in a moment he was upon them.

The bear seized Rojas, and with one sweep of the paw tore him open from the left shoulder to the groin. The man fell and Pacheco turned to run. His danger had been seen by others and help was coming, while a dozen rifles were sending bullets at the grizzly.

Pacheco might have escaped had he not stumbled over the rocks. But he did, and it cost him his life.

The bear was bleeding from several wounds, but he paid no attention to anything but the man he was after. As the Indian fell the grizzly was upon him. And at the same instant the huge brute was killed.

But it was too late to save the man. When they dragged him out from under the carcass there was little semblance of humanity left, for the fierce claws of the bear had slashed him from his head to his middle.

This double fatality did not stop the hunt, but it made the men more guarded. Two Indians were left to guard the bodies and the rest pushed on. For a few minutes their attention was occupied in driving on the coyotes and lions.

The dogs, usually wise enough to keep themselves out of danger, seemed carried away by the excitement of the hunt and they dashed ahead into the crowd of maddened animals. There they often met a quick death, for they were so greatly outnumbered that they were torn to pieces.

At last Montgomery decided that the animals had been driven far enough. When a halt was made the sides of the canon had become so steep that it was with difficulty that even a lion could scale them, and in doing so it would be an easy target.

The hunters began picking off the game at their leisure. It was easy work at first, for the animals were still crowding forward into the canon while they were so close together that it was almost impossible to send a bullet toward them without bringing something down.

Half an hour, however, showed that it was necessary to push still further into the canon. Then the real danger came for, penned up in the rocky cul-de-sac, were the fiercest of all the animals—four grizzlies and a number of lions and lynx. But the hunters advanced on them, pouring in a stream of lead.

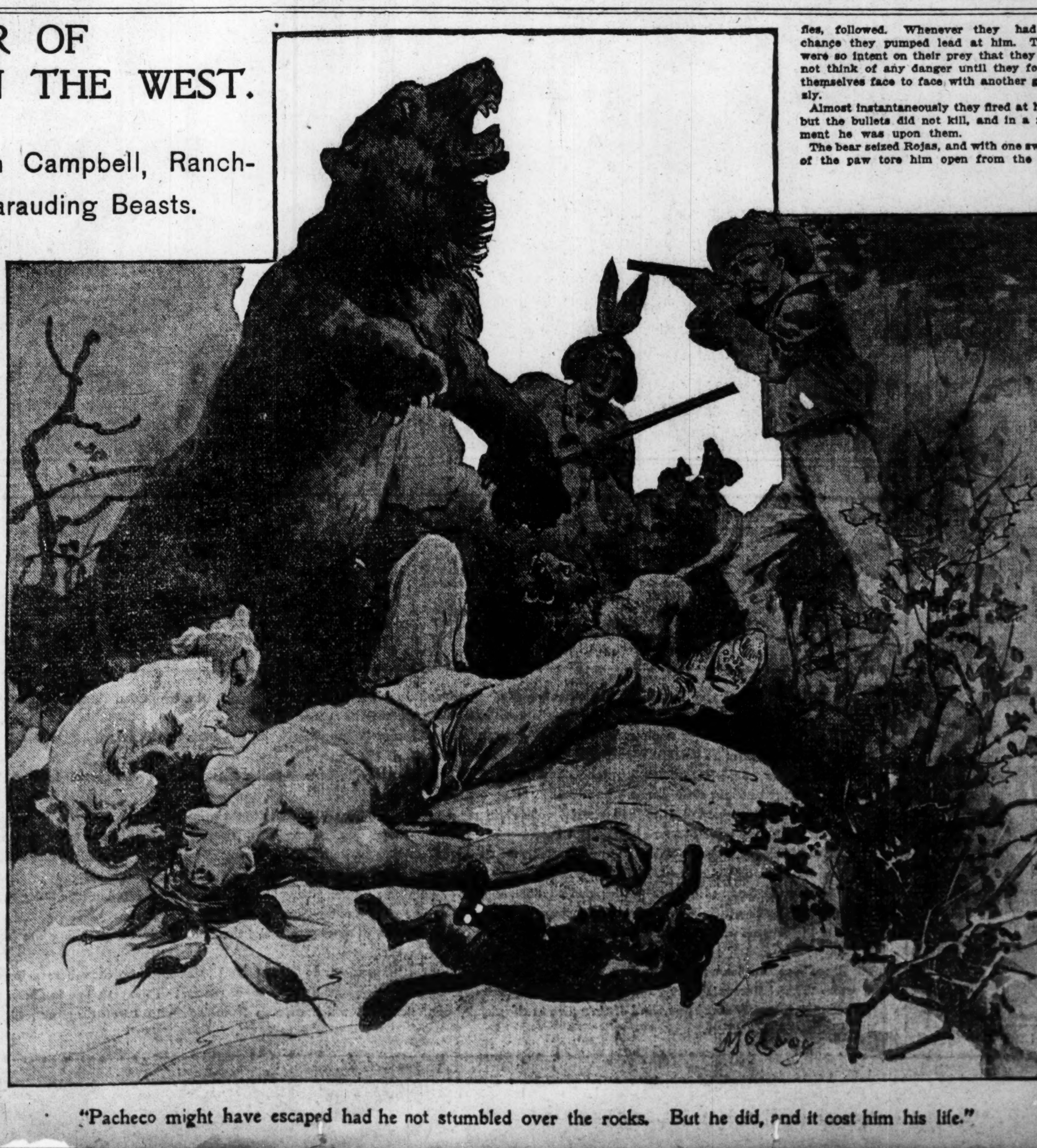
It was not a one-sided fight. Unable to escape, the grizzlies charged on the hunters. Most of them were brought down by the shower of lead.

But one big fellow lived long enough to reach a group of Indians led by the old chief, Antonio. Though they used their rifles fast as they could one of them was killed and Antonio was frightfully mangled before the grizzly got his quietus. The old chief had his wound dressed, though it was evident that there was no chance of his living. Everything possible was done for him and a stretcher was made on which he was to be carried to the ranch.

Before it could be used, however, Antonio was dead.

The death of these two men was practically the end of the hunt. All the animals in the canon were killed and very few had succeeded in escaping. But it had not been easy work for the hunters, for, besides the four men who had been killed, nearly a third of the rest had been more or less seriously wounded.

Wagons had followed the hunters at a distance and before evening the bodies of the grizzlies, the lions and the lynx had been taken back to the ranch.



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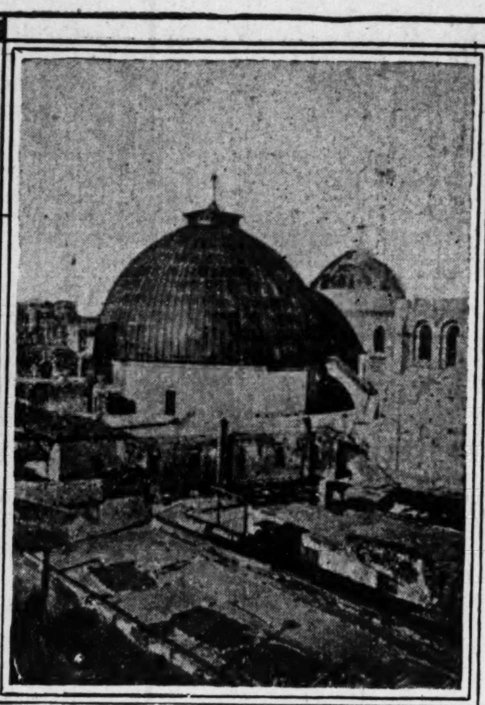
CELEBRATION OF EASTER IN JERUSALEM AT THE HOLY SEPULCHRE

ENTRANCE TO THE CHURCH OF THE HOLY SEPULCHRE.



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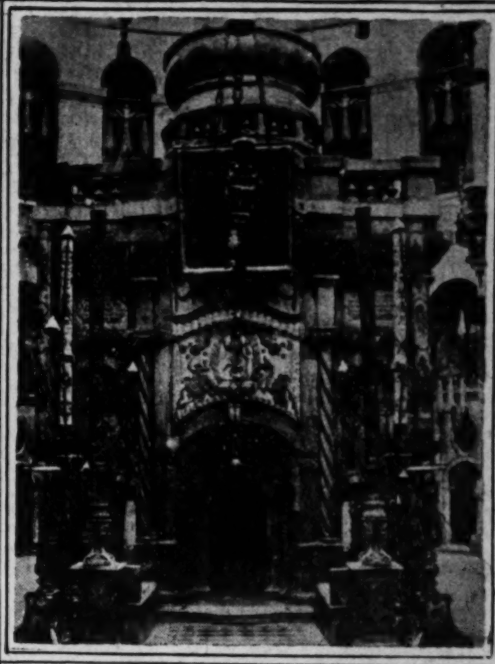
ENTRANCE TO THE HOLY SEPULCHRE.



THE HOLY SEPULCHRE.

"JERUSALEM is a shrine, not a city," said Dr. James Buchanan Nies. "The eyes of Moslem, Christian and Jew are turned upon Jerusalem at Easter, for there is the center of their most sacred associations.

"To the Moslem the city is sanctified, not only as the holy place made sacred by having held David, Solomon and Jesus, all revered by the followers of Mahomet, but it was from here, the site of the Temple of Solomon, where now stands the mosque, "Dome of the Rock," that Mahomet was said to have ascended to heaven.

"To the Christian it is sanctified by the recollection that in Jerusalem Jesus passed the last week of his life, and that there he was crucified and rose from the dead.

"To the Jew it is holy because it was not only the capital of the southern kingdom of Judah, but there was the Temple of Solomon, the wonder of the ancient world, for the restoration of which the orthodox Jew prays especially on the Passover."

These are the reasons assigned by Dr. Nies for the overcrowding of Jerusalem, which was forced upon his notice when he was present in that city in Easter time. Dr. Nies, it will be remembered, is the clergyman who has been exploring Palestine for the purpose of excavating its historic sites.

"To understand the crowds and follow the clew of the various celebrations taking place at this time," said Dr. Nies, "it is necessary to remember that the population of Jerusalem is heterogeneous. There are within its walls Fellaheen, Arabs, Greeks, Russians, Jews, English, Germans, French and Americans. In Jerusalem are a number of Catholic churches preserving the organization of the apostolic succession. Besides the Catholics represented by the Franciscan monks and the Dominicans there are the Greek Catholics, Maronites, the Syrian, or Jacobite Church; the Coptic and Abyssinian, the Armenian, the Russian Church and the Greek Church proper, for though the Russian Church claims to be Greek the Greek Church proper is separate and distinct therefrom. There are separate patriarchs, bishops and priests for each of these denominations, and the rivalry often runs high between them.

"The ceremonies at Easter in the Catholic churches are much like those to which we are accustomed in America, and therefore lack any special interest for the visitor, but the Greeks observe Easter in the ancient, original fashion, refusing to accept the Catholic ritual. The Greek Church occupies a commanding position at Easter; the other churches, such as the Armenian and the Coptic, act in harmony with it, celebrating Easter at the time set by the Greek Church, not that of the Latin.

"This year, for instance, Palm Sunday of the Greek Church corresponds with the Easter Sunday of the Latin Church, so that the Greek Easter does not occur until April 14. It sometimes happens that Easter of the Greeks is an entire month later than that of the Catholic Church, and while the Latins are rejoicing on the Feast of the Resurrection the Greeks are plunged in the depths of the observance of Lent.

"The predominance of the Greeks at Jerusalem is chiefly due, not merely to the preservation of ancient traditions as to the ceremonials connected with Lent and Easter, but to the actual possession of the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, the central Christian shrine of all Jerusalem. It will be remembered that during the Crusades the Catholic Church gained possession of the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, expelling the Greek Church, which had so long held this shrine, but after the fire which took place in this church in 1808 the Greeks turned the tables on the Western church, and since that time the Catholics have had few privileges within the edifice. The Coptic Church has secured the right to use some of the corners of the buildings as chapels.

"Coincident with the Easter festival the Mohammedans also celebrate a feast called Neby Mousa, the Prophet Moses. It is claimed that this feast was devised at the close of the Crusades and has been observed for five or six hundred years only, as an offset to the Christian Easter. The Arabs saw that the Christian pilgrims crowded Jerusalem at Easter and they feared some anti-Moslem outbreak, so the feast Neby Mousa was devised. It is a pilgrimage and festival in honor of Moses, which starts in the shape of a procession which leaves the mosque, 'Dome of the Rock,' on the site of the ancient temple, and proceeds to a Moslem shrine on the edge of the Jordan, where the body of Moses is supposed to rest. This is near the Dead Sea, opposite Mount Nebo, where Moses died, according to the biblical narrative.

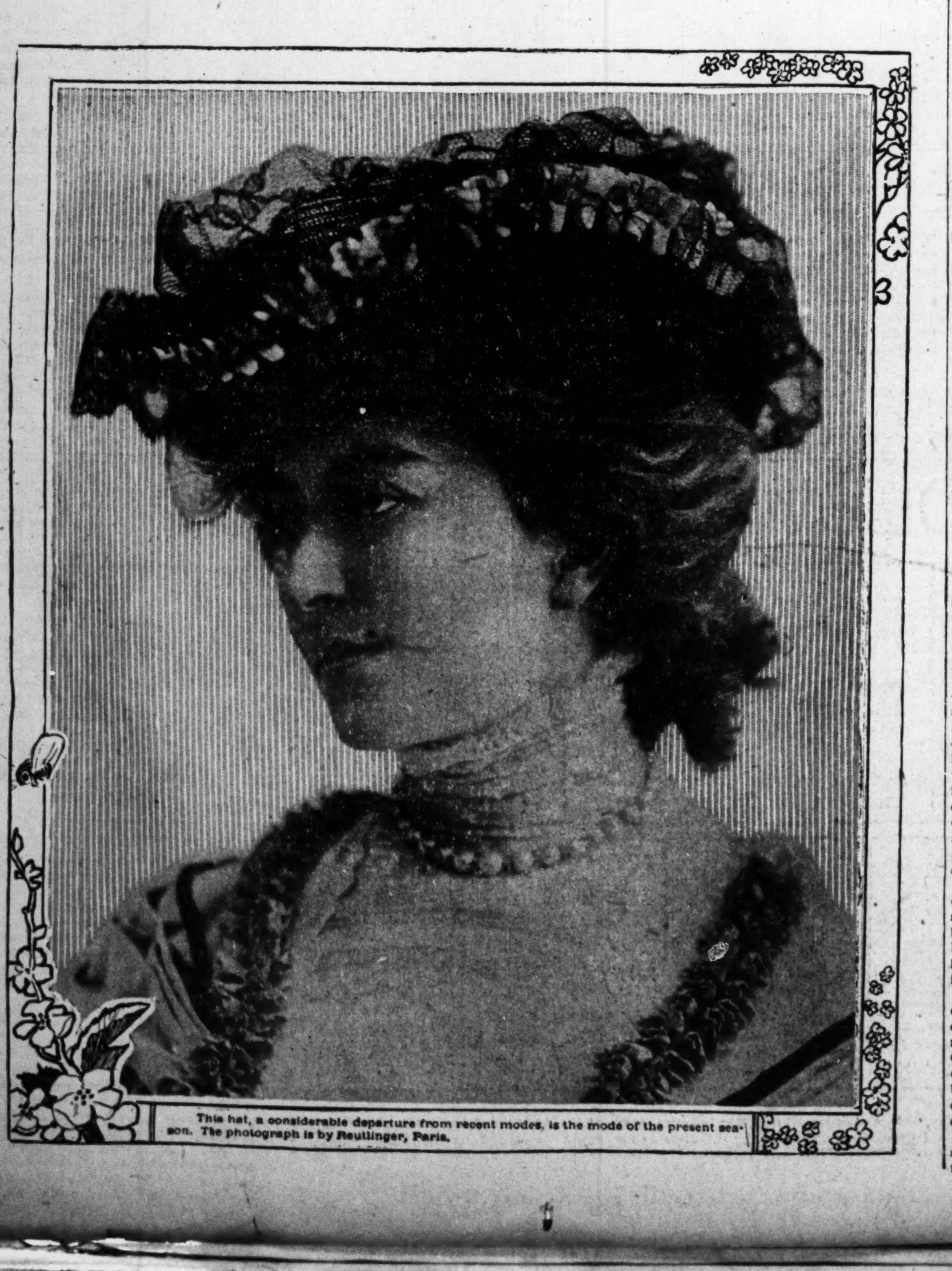
"There is no historical basis for the suggestion that the tomb of Moses is covered by the Moslem shrine, for curiously enough the Mohammedans themselves state that their authority for the selection of this spot as the tomb of Moses rests upon the vision of a Greek monk, who claimed that in his dream he saw the angels bear the body of Moses from its hidden tomb on Mount Nebo to this spot on the western side of the Jordan, where the Mohammedan mosque now stands.

"The fact of the slight historical basis for this shrine does not, however, influence the observance of the festival Neby Mousa, which is observed with great solemnity by the Arabs. Leaving Jerusalem, they march to the shrine, about a day's journey, and a week is spent in the festivities connected with the pilgrimage. The sight of the procession as it starts from Jerusalem is strange, if not impressive.

"There is no semblance of order in the indiscriminate mob that comes through the streets to the strains of all kinds of ancient primitive instruments, played in all kinds of time and tune. The Mohammedan pilgrims who have come from a distance bring their flocks of sheep, for they have no money, and they must perforce camp outside the city until they have sold their sheep for the money to offer at the shrine, and their tents and flocks add to the picturesque oddity of the scene. As the procession passes along some Indian dervish in it may be going through his antics, swaying from side to side as he works himself into a frenzy, or another passes along with a dagger thrust through both cheeks, skewerwise. There is the green banner of Mahomet and the military band of the Jerusalem garrison, all mixed up with the rabble that forms this procession, which is neither imposing nor impressive, but all the more curious on that account.

"While the feast Neby Mousa is movable like Easter, it often coincides therewith, and Good Friday is the day for all kinds of processions in Jerusalem. In fact, all Holy Week might be called procession week in the City of Shrines. What with the fifteen to twenty thousand Russian Christian pilgrims that come to Jerusalem at this season, the ten or fifteen thousand Christians of other nationalities, the thousands of Moslems come for Neby Mousa, and the hundreds of Jews from all over the world come to celebrate the Passover, Jerusalm is overflowing with people and the excitement is constant and widespread."

AN EASTER HAT FROM PARIS



This hat, a considerable departure from recent modes, is the mode of the present season. The photograph is by Reutlinger, Paris.

CHINESE VIEW OF THE CHRISTIAN EASTER

By WU TING FANG, Minister From China to the United States.

IN the Christian churches of all nations Easter is celebrated as the day on which the Great Teacher, the Jesus Christ, rose from the dead and thereby consummated his divine plan of redeeming the human race. Since Easter is so indissolubly associated with the life of the founder of the Christian religion, one would naturally assume that it is a purely Occidental festival, having its origin in the West and being confined in observance to Caucasian countries. Yet, strangely enough, in several of the countries of the Orient, in India, in Japan, in China, we find religious festivals bearing a wonderful resemblance—festivals that were observed by pious people thousands of years before the beginning of the Christian era laid the foundations of western civilization and power.

The festival of India analogous to the Christian Easter is called the "Feast of Buddha;" in Japan it is named the "Feast of the Higon," while in my country we term our great springtime celebration "The Ancestral Worship." All these holidays have deep religious significance, and yet I think I may safely say all that have their origin in the spirit of thankfulness and rejoicing, that wherever man lives, has ever greeted the death of winter and the dawn of spring. In this sense I think that Easter, the Higon, the Ancestral Worship, are all more than mere church days—they are man's spontaneous outpouring of gratitude to nature, alike beneficent mother of both Occident and Orient.

The Chinese ancestral worship, like Easter, is a movable festival. It is always held some time during the months of March or April, but the day varies, there being often as much as a month's difference between the exact date of successive annual celebrations.

The people of the East have many more holidays and festivals than the people of the West. This, in part, at least, is probably due to the radical difference in temperament. The bustling business man of Europe or America could ill afford to spare time from his wealth-amassing pursuits merely to pay tribute to the memory of some hero of antiquity, dead perhaps for 50 centuries.

In China we live more in the past. We are proud of our glorious history, our splendid antiquity, our great traditions. We do not consider our deities and heroes as merely memories; they are to us potent living actualities, exercising an important influence over every act of our lives. Consequently we venerate our great; we celebrate our church festivals, the birthdays of our saints and heroes, the anniversaries of famous events in our history, and above all we pay tribute to the memory of our departed ancestors.

I judge that a deep religious sentiment governs the Christian observance of Easter, and in that particular our ancestral worship is similar to it. The people of the Occident, I find, are apt to think that we people of Oriental countries are far behind them in many things, and perhaps we are—in some things; they feel that they have all to teach and we all to learn—perhaps we have; but I am inclined to think that in deference to old age, and in filial respect at least, that the western world might learn with profit from us. Our ancestral worship is an outgrowth of these things. The fifth commandment of the Christian decalogue is our first, "Thou shalt honor thy father and mother," and no sin in the eyes of the pious Chinese is so heinous as that of disobedience or disrespect to parents.

This filial piety is the fundamental virtue of our social life, and the respect which a son shows his father does not end with life, but is still shown to his memory long after his death. Nor is the deference merely an individual custom. Time has hallowed it into a great national festival.

My people are what the Christian of today would call superstitious, but what the courteous St. Paul would have termed very religious. In other words, the beliefs of the Chinamen are not mere cloaks to be donned on certain occasions and laid aside at will, but are controlling forces that govern his every act. So he is careful to observe every detail of his dogma.

What do I think of the Christian Easter and the idea of a resurrection? Do I believe that the dead, those who have left us, are still in a state of existence, where they can affect our lives for either blessing or bane? Do I believe that the dead can rise again? Ah, what can I say? What can I know? There is nothing in the lore of eastern religions to conflict with such a hope. Almost every faith of the Orient has for its foundation the theory of a risen Redeemer. And yet who can make answer to these momentous questions? The learning of the ages stands baffled before the problem whose terms the youngest child can understand, but whose authoritative answer is beyond the power of the greatest scholar.

I bethink myself of the words of the great Confucius: "While you do not know about life how can you know about death?" Immortality is the hope of the human race; it is the most attractive feature of the Christian teaching, yet how can we know that it is true? Man dies, but he returns not to tell us his experience. I may be that somewhere there is "a western elysium of bliss," in which the faithful have been taught to believe. I hope that there is; I hope that the principle of your Easter celebration is founded on fact and that the Great Teacher, the Jesus Christ, did rise from the tomb, for if it is true it is the most beneficent of all teaching the world has ever known.

WHERE BERMUDA LILIES GROW

ACRES OF EASTER LILIES IN FULL BLOOM AT BELLEVUE, BERMUDA.

TO JAMES RICHARDSON is due the honor of laying the foundation of a new industry among the community whose trousers he cut and coats he trimmed. James Richardson of Hamilton, Bermuda, was a tailor, but his thoughts were not confined to his thimble and goods. He loved nature as well as his art, and was an authority on floriculture. His garden was a local pride and his plants the envy of professional gardeners. But his relation to the Bermuda lily industry, an industry that has grown from nothing to something like $80,000 and at times almost double that amount a year in the islands, can best be explained in the words of an old Bermudan.

The sartorial floriculturist, however, never dreamed of the commercial possibilities locked up in his bulbs. That is altogether another story. It may be with some inward regret, still it is with frankness, that most Bermudans will confess that it was Yankee shrewdness that discovered the yellow glint on the lily's white. They will tell you, however, that the people of the United States were first awakened to the queenly beauty of the flower by a well-known Bermudan—the late Harley Trott—who about 1880 brought an immense plant, potted in a huge cask, to New York, and exhibited its extraordinary bloom at a fashionable hotel.

Just about that time it was that the idea occurred to Gen. Russell Hastings of Ohio, who had spent several winters in Bermuda, to raise the plants for the American market. He started in a small way, with a very small outlay of capital. Finding a ready sale for the product, he increased his acreage, until the bulbs he planted each season ran into hundreds of thousands. When he retired from the business, 10 years later, he is said to have been $200,000 to the good—and all realized from his lilies.

Of course this was too good a thing for any one man to have all to himself. Gen. Hastings has many imitators—Bermudans who scratched their heads and often asked themselves: "Why didn't we think of this before?" At present at least forty lily farms, of more or less consequence, have been cultivated, to which may be added scores of smaller patches of land devoted to growing for market this plant with which Richardson the tailor blessed the islands.

The bloom may come direct from a Bermuda farm, or it may be cut from a plant raised from a bulb brought here in July. Most of our lilies are matured here. The bulbs are dug up in Bermuda in midsummer and shipped thence at once. They have this advantage over their competitors, the Japanese bulbs—quite as many of which, by the way, are imported into the United States—that by forcing they may be brought to bloom as early as Christmas. Florists have not been able to make the Japanese plant bloom before Easter time.

Cultivation of the Bermuda lily has its uncertainties and its losses, as well as profits. Too much rain, or too little, and you labor and bulbs are lost. One lily farm, for instance, one season realized a clear profit of $8000. The weather was auspicious. The same farm another season realized $250. Yet there were just as many bulbs planted and quite as much labor and care expended. But the rainfall was excessive and rot set in. "It's a good deal of a gamble," said an experienced lily grower, "but taking it all in all, it is worth the risk."

If you want to start a lily farm in Bermuda first get an acre of land. For $15 you can buy 2000 bulbs of a circumference of from three to five inches—"three-to-fives," they call them. Planted in rows about 10 inches apart and four or five inches below the surface, under favorable conditions these 2000 bulbs should yield $100 worth of "seven-to-nine" bulbs and enough smaller ones to supply you for another season.

American florists prefer the bulbs. When they buy them they know they have them. It is pretty risky to contract to deliver the blooms. These latter are shipped in specially made wooden boxes which hold the stems. Each stalk is supposed to have four flowers. The shipper aims to get 64 lilies in each box. The standard price per box used to be $2. At that price the Bermuda man got a substantial profit. With its reduction came less careful packing and a flower that faded more rapidly.

And James Richardson, the Hamilton floricultural tailor—what would he say if he could come back and see what he has added to the wealth of his island home? I don't know whether or not any of his descendants have reaped any direct benefit from his botanical experiment. If they have, no flower lover can begrudge it to them.

It will also be a pleasant fact for Bermuda lily lovers to know that Mr. Richardson was a good tailor.

FLOWERS OF SPRING YOU CAN FIND

If You Look for Them While Walking in the Country Today

By COLTON RUSSELL, an Enthusiastic Amateur Botanist of St. Louis.

SPRING, although belated, is here at last. A few warm sunny days about the middle of March induced the wild plants to appear above ground and the flower buds on many trees to open and take their first peep at the new year. This time, however, they ventured too soon and only to be repressed and blasted by two weeks of cold, biting winds.

In our somewhat capricious climate a late spring is a great blessing to vegetation. Everything is now ready to burst forth. A day or two of warm weather would bring a quick and glorious transformation to the landscape.

A glance at the first wild flowers to appear in the vicinity of St. Louis may include such as bloom the first month, say from the middle of March to the middle of April. In normal years the first week in April is the time for a great many plants to bloom; previous to this time, and dependent on the weather, a few herbs and several trees put out their flowers. These are distinguished from the later plants as prevernals.

Taking them in the order of their appearance we may, perhaps not inappropriately, introduce the first plant of the year to bloom in Missouri, though not found much nearer to St. Louis than Iron Mountain, so far as I know: the witch hazel, hamamelis virginiana. This interesting shrub seems ready to flower at any time during the winter that a warm day or two will permit. I have seen it in flower in January, from which time it blooms until April. Even in the extreme south of Missouri I have seen no other plant in bloom until March except two that may be found throughout the southern states in flower every month in the year. In sheltered places during exceptionally mild winters the same is true even in St. Louis. These are two commonly despised weeds, yet of more interest to nature lovers than many far more showy plants. One of these is the biquitous Shepherd's purse (capsella bursa-pastaris). The other is the common chickweed (stellaria media). Both are European plants that, like so many of our commonest weeds, have followed in the whiteman's footsteps; like him, too, crowding out the natives and taking possession of the soil.

With these we may mention another introduced plant, the common dandelion (taraxacum officinale), springing up everywhere by the wayside and in grassy places, suggestive of Longfellow's "Stars that in Earth's Firmament do Shine." Although anything but inspiring except to those happy few who often see the most perfect and accordant beauty in the commonest and most despised of nature's wildlings, botanically the dandelion is in many ways a most interesting plant, and quite recently was chosen by Mr. Norton as the subject of an evening's discourse before the Englemann Botanical Club.

Coming now to our native plants we first observe that in general they are not so obtrusive as those above mentioned aliens, that push their way in where they are seldom wanted.

The harbinger of spring (esugenia bulbosay is the first of our native herbaceous plants to come into flower. A retiring inconspicuous little plant with delicate bluish-white flowers. It is by no means well-known, and must be sought in rich woods. About ten years ago it was plentiful in the wilderness in Forest Park, and still some few manage to eke out a precarious existence. Like so many others that found that delightful bit of the primeval forest so well adapted to their lives, many have been eradicated altogether. At the same time the harbinger appears we may see the hepatica or liver-leaf hepatica acutiloba in flower. This is one of the very few herbs that are evergreen, its leaves withering about the time it comes in bloom. It is very local, and only to be found here on limestone cliffs and banks with a northern aspect. Meramec Highlands is the best place near town to see it.

A delicate little plant and everywhere a great favorite is houstonia minima, sometimes called bluets or innocence, although this belongs to Houstonia coerulea, which does not get quite as far north as St. Louis. Our plant generally grows in open, bare or grassy places; it is quite common about Iron Mountain and Pilot Knob. I have seen large areas of the bare places in the mountains colored blue by these little plants. It is almost everywhere accompanied by a little white crucifer, whitlow grass, draba brashycarpa, very common in Forest Park. Two other drabas flower here at the same time are draba caroliniana, common in sandy fields, and best seen on the hills above the Illinois Bluffs, and draba cuneifola, seen a little later and about rocky places.

On high open places may be sometimes found the androsace androsace accidentalis, scarcely as long as its name. It is quite local.

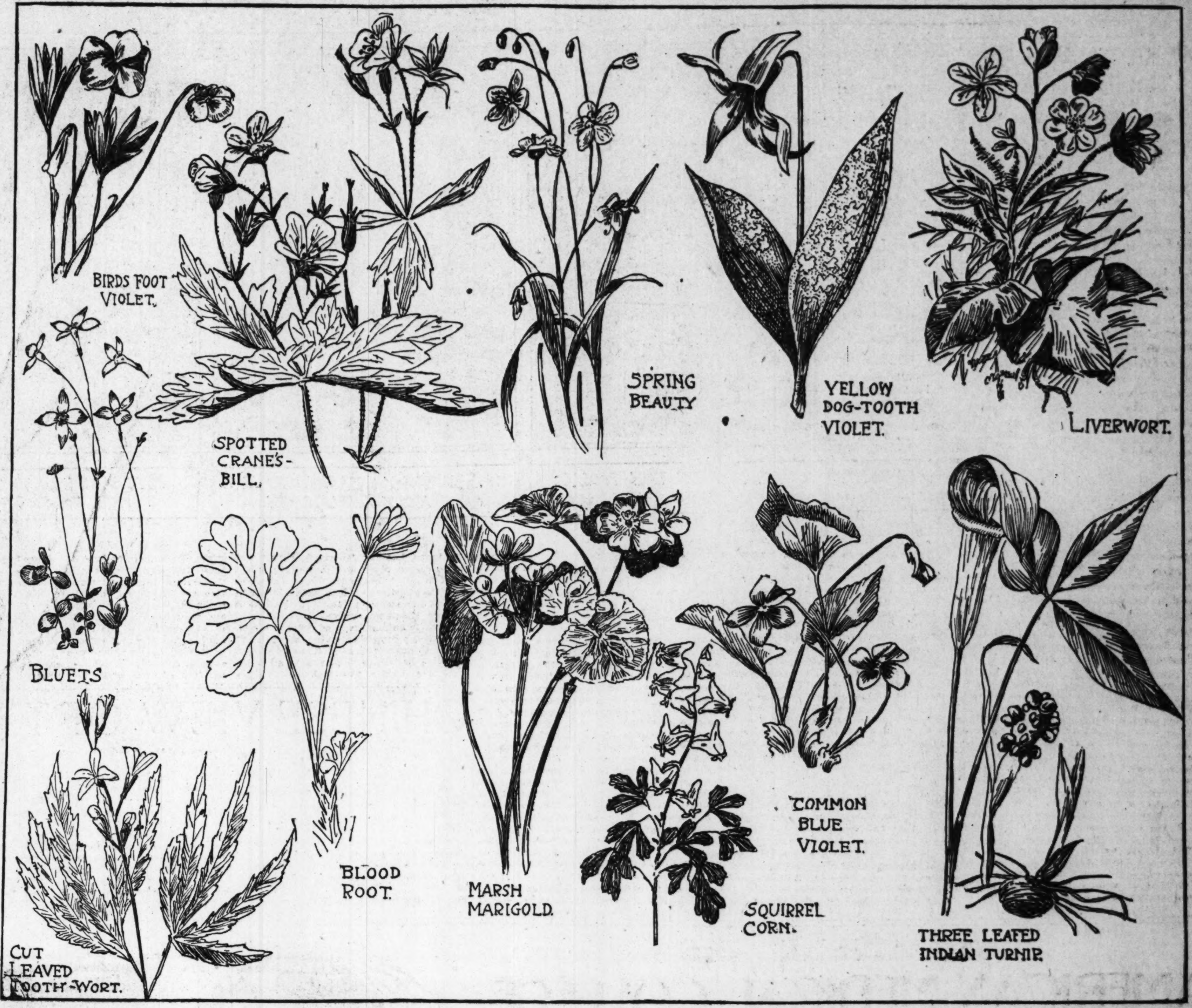
It should, perhaps, be noted here that the above five little plants are annuals. With these exceptions all other early plants are perennials and get their early start by reason of having some means of storing up nutrition, either a bulb, tuber or various other means of living for a while independent of adverse weather or other circumstances. Why the above seemingly delicate little plants get such an early start I do not know, but evidently if they waited longer they would have no chance at all, but would be overwhelmed, choked and smothered out of being by ranker growing herbage.

The commonest of our early plants is the small-flowered crowfoot (ranunculus abartivies) noteworthy for the great diversity in form of its leaves. It prefers open places, but is found everywhere. It is represented in rich woods by R. micranthus, which, to the nonbotanist, is undistinguishable from the other. The early sedge (carex varia) is common, preceding other sedges by at least two weeks.

Many trees burst into bloom at the same early periods as these herbs. Most of them are common and so well known that a mere mention will suffice. It may, however, be of some interest to say that the best time to note the distribution of the several species of trees is now, when so many are in bloom and unobscured by leaves. Again, in autumn, when each species wears its characteristic hue. At present should one stand on an eminence, such as one of the hills along the Meramec, overlooking large stretches of lowland we can often distinguish every elm, red and other maples, ash and sometimes others almost as far as we can see.

In flower at the same time we find the common elm (ulmus Americana), the slippery elm (ulmus fulva), the red maple (acer rubrum), the silver maple (a dasycarpum), the sugar maple (a saccaharinum), the black sugar maple (a nigrum), the ash-leaved maple or box elder (a negundo), the white ash (fraximus Americana) and the black ash (f. sambucifolia). Some of the catkin bearers are among the earliest. The aspen (populus tremuloides), with its showy big red catkins, two or three willow (salix wardii and s. amydaloides).

The alder, so plentiful in Forest Park, is there planted, not reaching quite so far north as St. Louis. The hazel nut (carylus Americana) is common in thickets. The aromatic sumac (rhus aromatica), found on high hills, is the first shrub to flower, although in rich woods we may find the spice bush (lindera benzoni) blooming about the same time, and well known later by reason of the fragrance its leaves radiate for some distance around. The papaw (asomina triloba), along streams, and the June berry (amelanchier canadensis), in rocky woodlands, common a few miles from St. Louis, still have a lonesome representative or two in Forest Park. A little later the woods are gay with the red bud (cercis canadensis) and the wild plum (prunus Americana).


BIRDS FOOT VIOLET.
SPOTTED CRANE'S-BILL.
SPRING BEAUTY
YELLOW DOG-TOOTH VIOLET.
LIVERWORT.
BLUETS
BLOOD ROOT.
MARSH MARIGOLD.
COMMON BLUE VIOLET.
SQUIRREL CORN.
THREE LEAFED INDIAN TURNIP.
CUT LEAVED TOOTH-WORT.

I have some unfading impressions of large stretches of lowland leafless woods along the Meramec and elsewhere, colored a beautiful pink and interspersed with white masses of wild plum blossoms. The wild gooseberry is now in bloom, and is the first to burst into leaf.

Many of the above bring us well along into April. Numerous other herbs are out now. Going to a piece of undisturbed woodland, and you may find many such places not far from St. Louis—the neighborhood of Creve Coeur Lake is, perhaps, the most promising—we find the bloodroot sanguinaria canadensis) whitening the ground in many places, the Dutchman's breeches, the cut-leaved toothwart. The small-flowered carydalis, with C. aureum and C. flavulum—the latter very abundant.

In some places we find the golden seal (hydrastes canadensis), the blue wood violet (viola palmata), the common blue violet (v. cucullata), the downy yellow violet (v. pubescens), the pale violet (v. striata), which sometimes forms a beautiful cross with the blue violets; also the two trilliums, trillium recarnation and t. sessile, and the common buttercup or crowfoot (ranusculus septentrionale) and jack-in-the-pulpit (arisaema triphyllum).

The wild ginger (asarum canadensis) is a curious and interesting plant; there is a patch about a yard square still left in Forest Park. If you find it, leave it alone. It is common out of town.

Leaving the lowland for the open upland woods, we cannot do better than return to Forest Park. There, scattered everywhere, we will again find the common blue violet, the spring beauty (claytoma vergemana) and the rue anemone (anemonella thalictwides); more restricted in extent is the larkspur (delphmiun tricasne), the tricolored violet (v. tenella), the two veronicas (veronica peregrina and varnensis). the mouse-eared chickweed (cereastium vulgatum) and the everlasting antennaria plantaginifolia—in moist open places we find the spring anens (geum vernum) and the yellow anens (g. strictum, the pepper cress cardamine hersuta) and occasionally c. bulbosa. The curious little mousetail myosurus minimus is very common.

Two of our most beautiful plants may be introduced here, although they should have been included in the woodland plants. The common dog's tooth violet, which is not a violet but our commonest lily, and the bellwart (unularia grandiflora), once common in Forest Park, but not seen for some years, I believe.

On dry exposed places on the higher hills of the Illinois bluffs but chiefly along the Meramec are found several several plants some of limited distribution. The ground plum (astragalus Mexicanus) is conspicuous and a favorite rendevous for early insects. Leavenworthia michauxii is occasionally found. The beautiful large bird's foot violet (v. pedata) is plentiful. The large flowered verbena, blooming from now until the frost comes next fall. The wild hyacinth (camassia fraseris) the yellow false garlic (nothoscardum striatum), sometimes blooming again after a long very dry summer, which seems to have the same effect on it as the winter cold, should copious rains fall after such a summer it sometimes comes up as in spring. This is true, too, of some other plants.

Going as far from St. Louis as Pacific or Crystal City on the sandstone hills will be found in great abundance the early saxifrage (saxifrage virginiana), although entirely absent from limestone hills here, too, plentiful, although occurring elsewhere are the dwarf plantain (plantago pusilla) and the early crowfoot (ranunculus fascecularus).

Many of these last far into May, and are associated with a host of others that come out towards the end of April at the time when the oaks, hickories and other trees flower, and the woods put on their garb of green.

WHAT AMERICA IS DOING FOR EDUCATION IN SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES

THEIR WEALTH.

AMERICANS spend more money for the "higher education" than any other people in the world.

There are 426 colleges in the United States, representing an invested capital of $250,000,000. The tuition fees, together with the donations to colleges, average about $100,000,000 yearly.

The wealth of American colleges represents an investment of $1425 for each college student. The average in England is $750, or about half of this.

The richest college in the United States is Girard college in Philadelphia, which is worth $15,000,000. Leland Stanford, Jr., University ranks next with $13,500,000. After this comes Harvard, with $10,000,000, and next Columbia, with $9,500,000. Cornell, University of Chicago and Yale are next in point of wealth.

These seven colleges have a total annual income of $7,478,000, or more than a million each. The incomes from endowments of all the colleges is about $20,000,000, an average of $47,000 each. It costs $115 a year to give the American youth a college education. Harvard pays $400 for each student's education; Cornell, $375; Columbia, $300; Yale, $310.

ADVANTAGES.

A COLLEGE education increases a man's chances of success about 25 times.

Statistics show that the college man leads in practically all the professions and in the majority of business activities.

Two-thirds of the Presidents, senators and representatives of the United States have been college-bred men. This proportion is amazingly large when it is considered that only about one man in every 200 of the adult male population is a college product. If college men had no advantage only about 1 per cent would be found holding conspicious positions.

Ninety per cent of ministers, 85 per cent of teachers and 68 per cent of lawyers are college graduates. Forty per cent of all bankers, 30 per cent of editors and 26 per cent of merchants and manufacturers have college educations. In some callings it will be seen a college education has increased a man's chances of success fully 50 times.

In mechanical lines, in managing industrial concerns where success is gained, college men are perhaps less numerous.

POPULATION.

MORE than 17,000,000 pupils regularly attend the schools of the United States.

Fully one-fifth of the entire population of this country, in other words, is either studying or teaching.

The total enrollment for 1899 was about 15,000,000. The number of pupils in the schools has been increasing more rapidly from year to year than the population of the United States.

The latest official returns of other countries show that America has a larger school proportion than any other country. The school enrolment for Great Britain and Ireland records but 5,678,640 pupils for the past year. In France, with all its boasted system of public education, there were but 5,535,125. In the entire German Empire there were 7,925,000. Austria had 3,432,683; Hungary, 1,858,216; Russia, with its teeming millions, but 3,779,818, and Italy, 2,589,000. The United Kingdom and France, together, have fewer pupils than America by 4,000,000. The total enrolment of Great Britain and Ireland, France and all the states in the German Confederation is but a trifle over 19,000,000.

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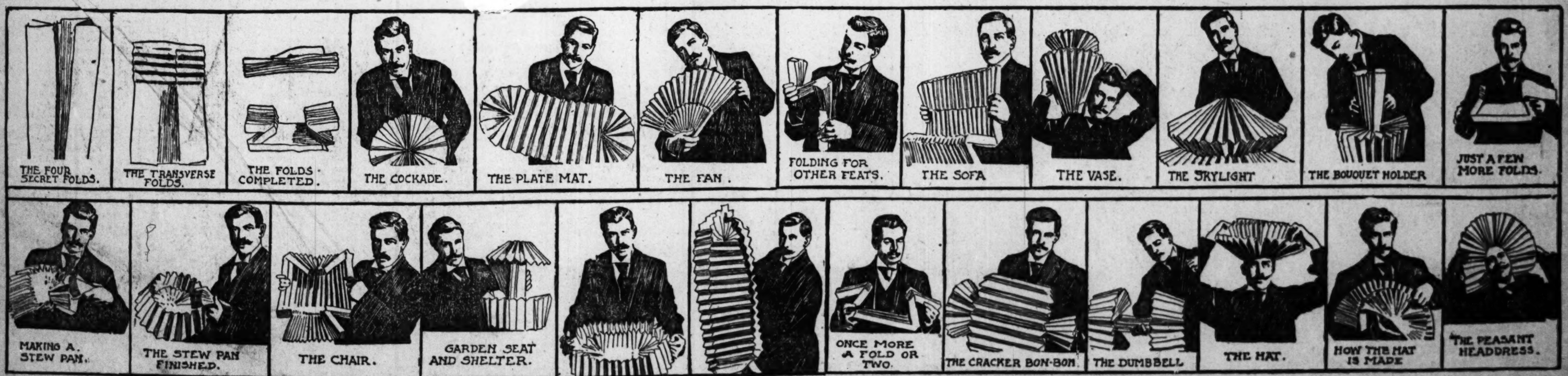
THE FOUR SECRET FOLDS.
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THE COCKADE.
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FOLDING FOR OTHER FEATS.
THE SOFA
THE VASE.
THE SKYLIGHT
THE BOUQUET HOLDER
JUST A FEW MORE FOLDS.
MAKING A STEW PAN.
THE STEW PAN FINISHED.
THE CHAIR.
GARDEN SEAT AND SHELTER.
ONCE MORE A FOLD OR TWO.
THE CRACKER BON-BON.
THE DUMBBELL
THE HAT.
HOW THE HAT IS MADE
THE PEASANT HEADDRESS.

AN excellent test of clever fingers is offered by the successive transformations of a bit of paper indicated in the illustration. Given an inventive brain and a deft touch a piece of paper may be made into almost anything except a meal to eat or a house to live in. The first step in achieving the metamorphosis of a piece of paper is to choose paper firm yet pliable. Take an oblong piece and fold it lengthwise. The narrower the folds are the better the effect will be. Then, by regulating and manipulating this accordion-plaited effect, you can achieve all the transformations indicated here and as many more as your own ingenuity can devise. A corrugated mat, for instance, may be suggested by stretching the folds as far apart as possible and rounding the ends. Or by another dexterious rearrangement of the folds you have a fan. Rearrange it again and you have a vase, while the merest novice at the pastime can of course construct a plausible lampshade. A saucepan, a footbath and a hat are among the most obvious of the possible transformations, while the experts will do even greater marvels.

MILLIONAIRE BREWER LEMP'S SONS APPRENTICED TO HIS TRADE

Edwin, the Youngest, Is Beginning the Course From Bottle Washer to Executive Position Followed by All His Brothers Save One.

WILLIAM J. LEMP, JR.
LOUIS LEMP.
WILLIAM J. LEMP, SR.
FRED W. LEMP.

WILLIAM J. LEMP, JR., Louis Lemp and Frederick W. Lemp, sons of William J. Lemp, multi-millionaire and founder and president of the William J. Lemp Brewing Co. of St. Louis, are practical brewers.

They learned the art by actual service in their father's plant.

After completing his academic education each of them entered the brewery as an apprentice, started at the bottom of the business and worked himself up through all its departments until he was adjudged capable by his father of operating the establishment by himself if necessary.

At that stage of his progress each was taken into the company, given shares of stock and placed in a responsible position, where he would have opportunity to mount higher.

All have improved their opportunities and William J. Lemp, Jr., is first vice-president of the company; Louis Lemp, second vice-president, and Frederick W. Lemp, superintendent.

President Lemp, while holding the majority shares of stock and remaining at the head of the company, devotes little of his time to its business, preferring to spend the remainder of his days in resting from the arduous labors of the past. William J. Lemp, Jr., represents him in nearly all his transactions; he goes to his office every day, but more as a pleasure than as a duty. He knows that his business is safe in the hands of his boys.

William is 34 years old and married, Louis is 32 and single and Frederick is 28 and married. All have homes within a stone's throw f the brewery. The father lives at 3322 ...th Thirteenth street in a handsome ...ansion. Fred resides with him. William's home is at 3343 South Thirteenth street, while Louis' apartments are on the brewery grounds.

Edwin Lemp, younger son of Mr. Lemp, who is just out of school and is but 20 years old, will follow in the footsteps of William, Louis and Fred. He is preparing now to enter the brewery for his period of apprenticeship and hopes in time to accomplish as much as they. He will be given the same opportunities they have had.

When Edwin shall have completed his apprenticeship and become identified in the executive end of the brewery Mr. Lemp will have the pleasure of seeing all his sons engaged in the same business.

Charlie Lemp, treasurer of the company, will be the only masculine member of the family not a practical brewer. He studied for the law and was admitted to the bar. But he soon concluded he would prefer a place in his father's company to the law. His professional studies had peculiarly fitted him for the duties of its treasurer and he was elected to the office.

By WILLIAM J. LEMP, SR.

I BELIEVE that a young man should choose the occupation best suited to his inclination and talents and I have tried to practice this with my boys.

It has been my aim to allow them to choose untrammeled by my wishes what they desired to do. In fact, the only wish I had for them was that they might do this very thing. If a man has talent and inclination for a work and chooses it he will succeed. Why? Because he is going to be energetic in following it and energy is the master spirit of the universe.

I have given my boys as good an academic education as they desired. When they had enough to suit themselves I had enough. They were then informed they should choose their occupations. When they did that it was time for me to advise and coach them how to accomplish their plans.

At everything one undertakes there is nothing so good as practical education. One's head may be bursting with theories but he may not be able to put one of them into practice. Thus, the law student must have the actual practice at the bar before he can proceed accurately with a case. He knows all about the theory of it, but he doesn't know the practice. So it is in everything else which one may study by theory. The theory must eventually be put in practice right before it will serve its ends, and the only man who can do that is the man with the experience.

Of course I was very glad when William, Louis and Fred expressed a desire to be brewers. It was naturally a pleasure to feel that they wished to follow in my footsteps. But happiness did not blind me to their interest and there was no inclination on my part to make the task of getting ino the business easy for them. They wanted to be brewers and I was determined that they should be good brewers or none at all.

I accordingly informed them that there was but one way to be a good brewer and that was by practice. I advised them to start at the bottom and learn the business by actual work in all its departments from the malthouse up to the bottling rooms. They knew I knew what was best for them and that, while there were some unpleasant features connected with carrying my idea into execution, my advice pointed out the only way in which a substantial success could be achieved.

There was no hesitancy on their part in taking up the work as I had outlined it. Each of them learned the business and knows it now as well as I do. They are so thoroughly familiar with the work of the various departments that either of them can do the work of any employe in any part of this great establishment. Not only can he do the work, but he can do it well.

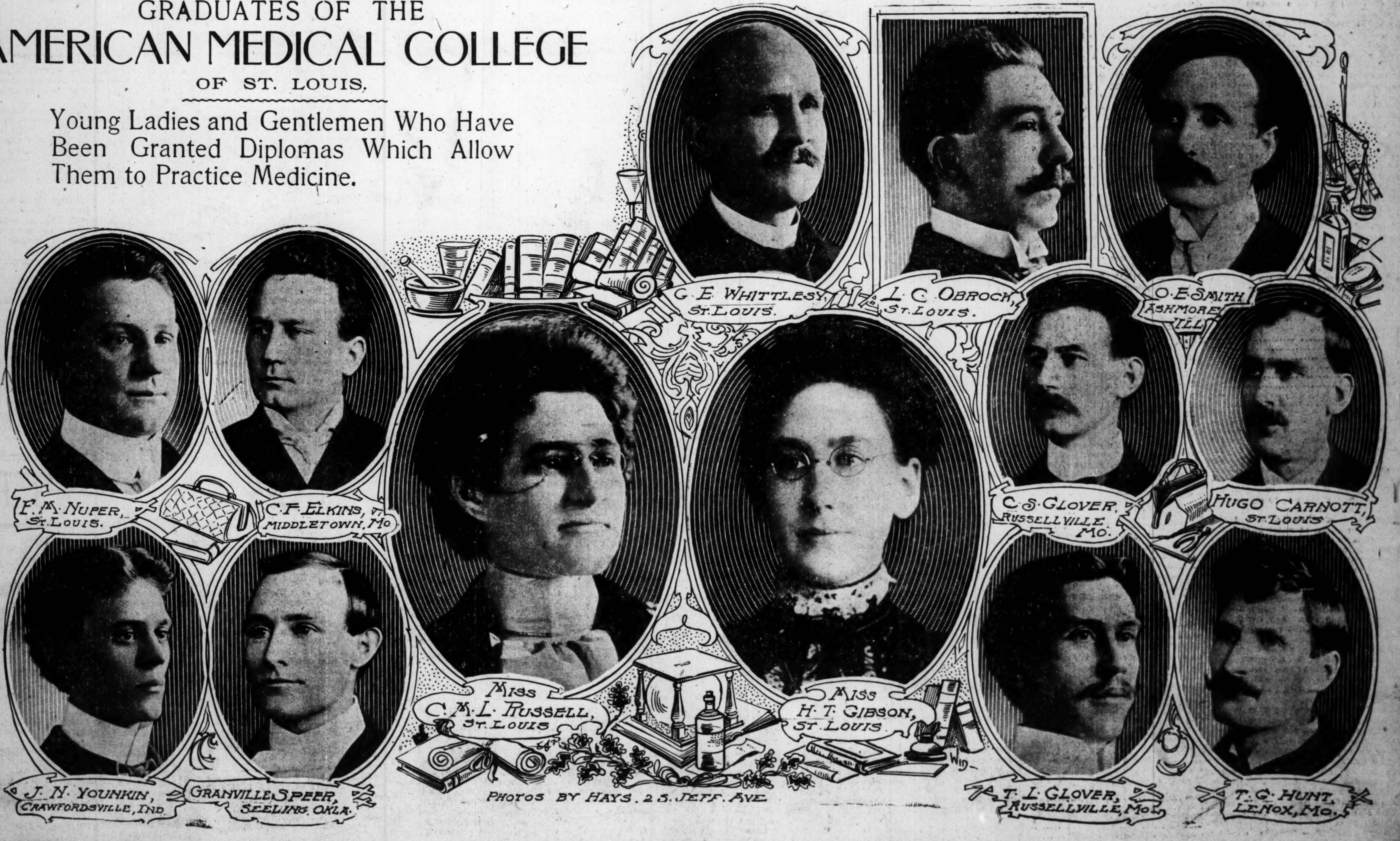
What is the result? I don't have to worry myself about my business. It will go on in the same old way whether I am at the helm or not. My boys have been trained in my business policy. Not only that, but they know the business and there is no danger of anything going awry under their direction.

Each of my boys is competent to take hold of this big establishment alone any day and operate it. That is a great deal of satisfaction to me in my old age.

The interest which their practical education would naturally cultivate in them for the business has been increased greatly by my policy of distributing shares of stock among them. I have made them partners in my business. This divides with them the responsibility for the company's welfare. They feel that they should take the same kind of interest in the concern I do and they do it. Thus, I not only know that either of my boys could operate the brewery single-handed as well as I, but also that he would do it if called upon through any necessity. They have all been trained that way.

GRADUATES OF THE AMERICAN MEDICAL COLLEGE OF ST. LOUIS.

Young Ladies and Gentlemen Who Have Been Granted Diplomas Which Allow Them to Practice Medicine.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PROMINENT among the graduates of the American Medical College, whose annual commencement exercises were held during the week, are Misses H. T. Gibson and Carrie M. L. Russell of St. Louis. These young women made excellent class records and throughout the course displayed great medical skill. Diplomas were awarded to F. M. Nuper of St. Louis, J. N. Younkin, Crawfordsville, Ind.; Granville Speer, Seeling, O. T.; T. L. Glover, Russellville,, Mo.; T. G. Hunt, Lenox, Mo.; Hugo Carnott, St. Louis; C. S. Glover, Russellville, Mo.; L. C. Obrock, St. Louis; C. E. Whittlesey, St. Louis; J. A. Miller, Columbia, Mo.; C. F. Elkins, Middleton, Mo.; George H. Hampshire, St. Louis.

The honors of the class were won by George H. Hampshire of St. Louis.

The American Medical College is situated at 400 South Jefferson avenue and is among the most recently established of St. Louis medical institutions.

By DR. E. YOUNKIN, President of the American Medical College.

ST. LOUIS is the home of medical colleges. We have more and better ones, I believe, than any city in the Union. St. Louis turns out over 100 physicians every year. The students come from all parts of the United States, but chiefly from the states of Iowa, Illinois, Arkansas, Kansas and Indiana.... ... ...

The number of eclectic physicians is on the increase. Homeopaths, too, are in greater demand than formerly, while the allopath continues to hold his place with other professional competitors.

In St. Louis we have many women physicians. None of our students displayed greater aptitude for medicine than Misses Russell and Gibson. Of course their practice would not extend to surgery, but they have a knowledge of substantially all the medical branches. Our class this year was larger than th[illegible] of 1900.

MENUS FOR FOLK OF MODERATE MEANS

Model Meals, of What They Should Consist, Their Cost and the Proper Way to Cook Them, Set Forth by Miss Gladfelter, Cooking Teacher in St. Louis Public Schools.

HOW families of moderate means can live in comfort at the minimum of expense, as far as food is concerned, has been demonstrated by Miss Lisbeth M. Gladfelter at the Apollo Club Hall, at Ninth street and Bremen avenue.

Miss Gladfelter is a teacher of domestic science in the St. Louis public schools, cooking teacher for the Self-Culture Hall Association and vice-president of the National Cooking Teachers' League.

Her recent demonstration included four meals—breakfast, lunch, supper and dinner. Each meal, as outlined by Miss Gladfelter, was cooked by her in the presence of her audience and samples distributed to those who cared to partake. Here is what she has to say concerning each, with menus and recipes:

By MISS LISBETH M. GLADFELTER.

A MODEL breakfast should be nourishing and satisfying. Although prepared at an early hour, it should be attractive. The table should be neat and orderly and clean in all its belongings. Flowers kept in the room will add much to the pleasure of the meal, and the bright, cheerful faces and kind words will make the homeliest fare taste excellent. Better eat round steak for a year instead of sirloin, and with the money saved buy a picture for the wall or a good book for the home, or take the family to the opera. The best food is the cheapest.

Let our breakfast be seasoned with kindness,
And husband and children w'll feast;
O, the folly, the pitiful blindness
Of extravagance, e'en in the least.

Here is a breakfast menu for six persons, making the cost to each only 6 cents:

Some kind of cereal food, with cream	$ 08
Hamburg steak	15
Muffins	03
Butter	04
Bananas	05
Coffee	02
Milk	05
Total	$ 42

— Following are some recipes which can be prepared without difficulty:

HAMBURG STEAK.—Chop fine one pound of lean raw meat from the cheaper part of the beef. Season with salt, pepper and a few drops of onion juice, and a little finely chopped parsley. Shape in small, flat cakes and broil on a greased broiler or omelet pan. Spread with butter or serve with maitre d'hotel butter. In making the cakes, handle as little as possible; if pressed too compactly cakes will be found solid.

MUFFINS, WHOLE WHEAT.—One egg, one cup of milk, one teaspoonful of salt, one tablespoonful melted fat, two cups of whole wheat flour, to which has been added three teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Bake one-half hour in a hot oven.

COFFEE.—Measure one tablespoonful of coffee for every cup and one extra, "for the pot." Cover it with a little cold water and leave to soak over night, or even a little time in the morning. Add one egg, beaten slightly, and 15 minutes before serving pour over it as many cups of boiling water as are needed. Put on the stove and bring to the boil; boil about five minutes, then stand back and leave to settle for 10 minutes.

DAINTY MENU FOR LUNCH.

THIS lunch is prepared in cases where the father returns to the house at noon. It requires but one hour to prepare. The foods are all chosen with a view to digestibility, so as not to make the following three hours a burden to school children and father. Here is my bill of fare for six persons:

Bean soup	$ 05
Omelet	10
Biscuit	03
Lettuce salad	10
Fruit sponge	10
Cocoa	02
Total	$1 40

The lunch should be dainty. While scraps of food may be re-served at this meal, they may be made almost unrecognizable by the art of the cook. When the mother sits down at the table with the family, after preparing the meal, she should show no traces of the cook. If it only be the removing of the apron, the transformation has taken place, and she is now the mother and the hostess, striving to be agreeable.

Try these recipes:

BEAN SOUP.—Cook one-half can baked beans in two quarts of water until they are completely broken. Add two tablespoonfuls of flour mixed with two tablespoonfuls of drippings. Season with salt, pepper and tabasco sauce or catsup. Any bones or scraps of meat may be cooked in with the soup. When ready to serve, strain into bowls and serve with crackers or croutons.

OMELET.—Break six eggs, separating the yolks from the whites. Add one-quarter cup milk to the yolks and beat well. Season with salt and pepper. Beat the whites until stiff. Mix the yolks with the whites. Pour into a greased, heated omelet pan. When baked on the bottom, place in the oven for a few moments to cook the top. Then turn out on a warm dish and serve with a sauce or gravy.

BISCUITS.—Mix one quart of flour, one teaspoon salt, six level teaspoons baking powder and one-fourth cup drippings, butter or lard. Add gradually enough cold milk or water to make a soft dough. Turn out on a well-floured board; knead slightly, press and cut into small, thin biscuits. Bake in a hot oven 15 minutes.

LETTUCE SALAD.—Simply wash the leaves and serve in a salad bowl; to be dressed at the table with oil and vinegar, salt and pepper.

FRUIT SPONGE. — Dissolve one-half package gelatine in a little cold water. Add one and one-half cups boiling water, three-fourths cup sugar and the juice of two lemons. Beat the whites of three eggs stiff. Beat one-half cup cream until stiff. Break two oranges and two bananas into bits. When the gelatine has set slightly, fold into it the eggs, cream and fruit, and leave it to harden.

COCOA.—For every cup of cocoa measure one teaspoonful of cocoa and one teaspoonful supar. Mix these together and add a little hot water. Let this boil, and pour over it enough hot milk or half water and milk. Serve at once.

PREPAR'NG A MODEL SUPPER.

THE model supper is the main meal of the day. At it is grouped the entire family, ready to rest and enjoy each other's society, now that the work of the day is over. The father has washed, changed his working-day clothes and read the evening paper.

The daughters are setting the table, not forgetting to place a flower in the center, and to use the prettiest china, as well as the brightest knives and forks for the pleasure of the little family circle. The mother is busy finishing the sauces and garnishing the fish.

In this home, where economy and beauty are the watchwords, the chance guest sees a paradise on earth that kings may seek in vain. Felix Holt says:

"If there's anything people want convincing of, it is, that there's some dignity and happiness for a man other than changing his station."

Here is an appetizing menu for a family of six at a cost of only 55 cents:

Fish	$ 25
Fish Sauce	.02
Wheat Bread	.07
Butter	.04
Mashed Potatoes	05
Cabbage Salad	05
Steamed Fig Pudding and Sauce	05
Tea	02
Total	$ 55

Here are the recipes:

BAKED STUFFED FISH.—Select a white salmon or a red snapper. Clean, wipe and dry the fish. Season with salt and pepper, gash the back. Remove fins and tail but not head. Stuff with crumbs moistened with drippings and seasoned with pepper, salt parsley and finely chopped pickle. Sew. Dust the outside with salt, pepper and flour. Put narrow strips of fat pork in the gashes. Bake in a hot oven 15 minutes to the pound. Serve with Hollandaise sauce. Garnish the head of the fish with parsley and lemon.

HOLLANDAISE SAUCE.—Mix one egg with a tablespoonful of melted butter. Add gradually one-half cup vinegar; add seasoning of salt, pepper and mustard. Cook over water bath until the sauce is as thick as cream.

WHOLE WHEAT BREAD.—Put into a mixing bowl one cup hot milk and one cup hot water. Add one teaspoonful each of sugar, butter and salt. Then add one cake of yeast which has been dissolved in a little cold water. Stir in enough whole wheat flour to make a sponge, beat well and add enough flour to make a soft dough. Turn out on a board and knead until smooth and elastic. Place to rise three hours in a warm place. When light shape into loaves. Put these to rise one hour, and when light bake 45 minutes in a hot oven. Remove from pans and leave to cool uncovered. Do not eat hot bread.

MASHED POTATOES.—To every cup of boiled mashed potatoes add one tablespoonful drippings and one-quarter cup of hot milk gradually. Season with salt, pepper and parsley. Beat very thoroughly. Serve in a hot dish lightly piled.

CABBAGE SALAD.—Slice the cabbage fine, sprinkle salt over it, and press it to extract the water. Put over it a sour custard, made by beating one egg thoroughly, gradually adding ½ cup milk and then gradually adding ½ cup vinegar. Season to taste.

WHOLE WHEAT FIG PUDDING.—Mix two cups of whole wheat flour with ½ teaspoonful soda and ½ teaspoonful salt. Add one cup milk, ½ cup molasses, one cup chopped figs. Pour into popover cups and steam one hour. Serve with sauce.

CREAMY SAUCE.

¼ cup butter.
½ cup powdered sugar.
2 tablespoonfuls grape juice.
2 tablespoonfuls cream.

Cream the butter and sugar. Then add the grape juice, beat well; add the cream, and stir over hot water till smooth and creamy. Serve hot.

TEA.—The water used should be freshly boiled water. Scald the teapot; put the tea in the pot and pour the boiling water over it. Place to draw for 5 minutes. Pour the liquid off the leaves and serve at once. The amount of tea depends on the quality, so that no definite proportion can be given to suit all cases.

A CHEAP BUT INVITING DINNER.

THAT we are the "heirs of all the ages," cannot be better proven than in considering the serving of a single modern dinner. Our dining room is cheerful and beautiful. The table, to be in keeping with the customs of the day, is simple in its adornments. A square of linen as centerpiece holds a vase or bowl full of flowers and vines. The lighting for the dinner is effectively done by using lamps and candles not higher than the heads of the guests, so that a soft glow is shed on the table.

Modern methods in cooking the necessities are far from perfect. If we gaze with a critic's eye at the bountiful table, we see much that is innutritious and some things that are positively harmful. But modern cooking schools are teaching proper methods in cooking, and the time will soon be when good, wholesome food will be cooked properly and served at the proper time.

A palatable and nutritious dinner for six, which can be prepared at the small cost of 77 cents, is the following:

Soup	$ 15
Fish	10
Meat croquettes (from soup meat)	00
Potatoes	05
Cucumbers, sweetbreads or salad	25
Pudding	05
Cheese, tongue	05
Cheese, fondle	05
Bread	03
Total	$ 77

The soup should be to a dinner what a portico is to a house—a fitting entrance. If the soup be ponderous it belittles the dinner. It should be delicate and stimulating to prepare the way for the more substantial repast to follow. Soup made from beef or a combination of beef and fowl is usually served clear. The important points in the cooking of meat soups are as follows:

The meat should be removed at once from the brown paper, in which it came from the shop, and wiped with a damp cloth; until needed for use it should be placed in a covered dish in a cool place. Then weigh meat and bone, and put into the soup pot as many quarts of clear, cold water as there are pounds of meat and bone. Add one teaspoonful of salt for every quart of water. Cut the meat off the bone and place the bone in the pot; then cut the meat into very small bits and add that to the pot. It is well that this should stand one hour without cooking, as the cold salted water draws the juice out of the meat and softens the fiber. The heating should be very gradual. When the boiling point is reached, one cup of cold water may be added, and the soup should simmer gently five hours. The vegetables to be added should be cooked in a separate pot, as they require a high temperature to soften them. The seasonings and vegetables may be added to the soup after it has cooked five hours. Cook below the boiling point for one hour longer. Strain through a wet cloth; set aside until cold. Remove the cake of fat which has formed on the top. Add the beaten white of one egg and shell crushed, place on the fire and boil five minutes, add a little cold water, strain through wet cloth into a bowl, add flavoring and serve. If desired dark, it may be colored with caramel or one-half of the pieces of meat may be browned on a sauteing pan before it is added to the cold water.

Meat which has been used for soup has lost very little of its nutritive value, although it has lost its flavor. Flavor can be added by the use of seasonings and herbs, and many tasty and nutritious dishes made from soup meat.

Other recipes in connection with this inviting meal are the following:

FISH TURBAN.—Select two pounds of white meat, as buffalo, halibut or cod. Wipe the fish and cut into small pieces. Cook in water, simmering gently, add salt and pepper. Add parsley, celery root, onion, each in small quantities. When the fish is tender break with a fork into pieces not larger than one-half inch, and remove all the bones.

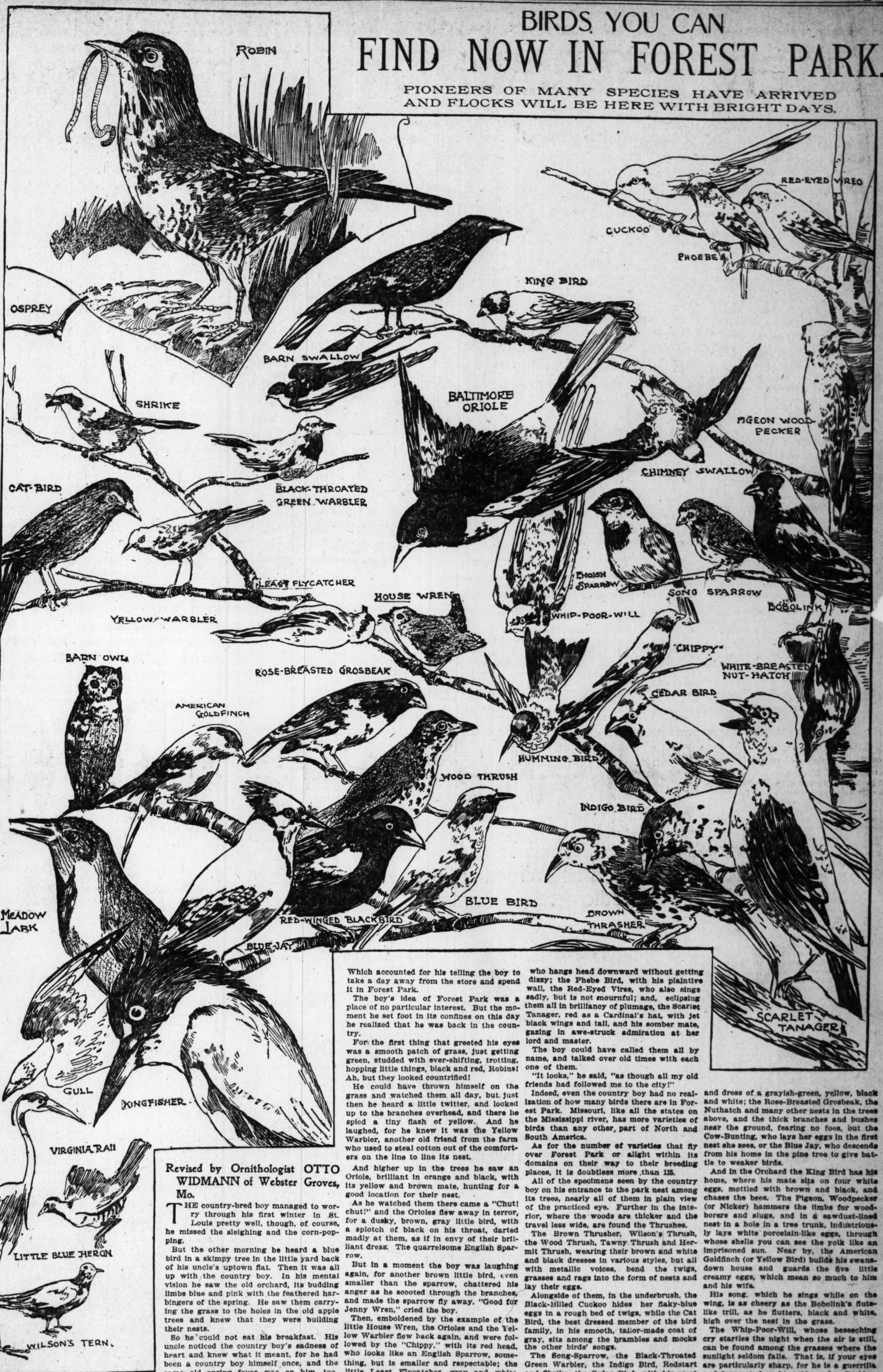
Prepare a white sauce by first mixing together one-quarter cup flour, two tablespoonfuls butter, one-half teaspoon salt, one-half teaspoon mustard, one-quarter teaspoon pepper.

Cook these ingredients with two cups of milk until the sauce is creamy and smooth, add the fish to this. Put into a fish mold, baking dish or shells, cover with buttered cracker crumbs and bake in a moderate oven until the crumbs are brown; serve at once. This dish may be prepared some time before the dinner and placed in the oven one-half hour before serving.

POTATO ROSES.—Two cups of hot mashed potatoes; two tablespoonfuls of butter; one-fourth teaspoon of pepper; one-half teaspoon of salt; three eggs. Beat the yolks and add them to the potatoes. Add the butter and seasoning. Glaze with the egg white, slightly beaten and diluted with water. Press through a paper funnel or pastry bag in the shape of roses. Brush with the egg white and brown in the oven. Serve as a garnish around meat.

BIRDS YOU CAN FIND NOW IN FOREST PARK.

PIONEERS OF MANY SPECIES HAVE ARRIVED AND FLOCKS WILL BE HERE WITH BRIGHT DAYS.



Revised by Ornithologist OTTO WIDMANN of Webster Groves, Mo.

THE country-bred boy managed to worry through his first winter in St. Louis pretty well, though, of course, he missed the sleighing and the corn-popping.

But the other morning he heard a blue bird in a skimpy tree in the little yard back of his uncle's uptown flat. Then it was all up with the country boy. In his mental vision he saw the old orchard, its budding limbs blue and pink with the feathered harbingers of the spring. He saw them carrying the grass to the holes in the old apple trees and knew that they were building their nests.

So he could not eat his breakfast. His uncle noticed the country boy's sadness of heart and knew what it meant, for he had been a country boy himself once, and the same old spring fever was on him, too. Which accounted for his telling the boy to take a day away from the store and spend it in Forest Park.

The boy's idea of Forest Park was a place of no particular interest. But the moment he set foot in its confines on this day he realized that he was back in the country.

For the first thing that greeted his eyes was a smooth patch of grass, just getting green, studded with ever-shifting, trotting, hopping little things, black and red, Robins! Ah, but they looked countrified!

He could have thrown himself on the grass and watched them all day, but just then he heard a little twitter, and looked up to the branches overhead, and there he spied a tiny flash of yellow. And he laughed, for he knew it was the Yellow Warbler, another old friend from the farm who used to steal cotton out of the comforters on the line to line its nest.

And higher up in the trees he saw an Oriole, brilliant in orange and black, with its yellow and brown mate, hunting for a good location for their nest.

As he watched them there came a "Chut! chut!" and the Orioles flew away in terror, for a dusky, brown, gray little bird, with a splotch of black on his throat, darted madly at them, as if in envy of their brilliant dress. The quarrelsome English Sparrow.

But in a moment the boy was laughing again, for another brown little bird, even smaller than the sparrow, chattered his anger as he scooted through the branches, and made the sparrow fly away. "Good for Jenny Wren," cried the boy.

Then, emboldened by the example of the little House Wren, the Orioles and the Yellow Warbler flew back again, and were followed by the "Chippy," with its red head, who looks like an English Sparrow, something, but is smaller and respectable; the little Least Flycatcher, gray and white, who hangs head downward without getting dizzy; the Phebe Bird, with his plaintive wail, the Red-Eyed Vires, who also sings sadly, but is not mournful; and, eclipsing them all in brilliancy of plumage, the Scarlet Tanager, red as a Cardinal's hat, with jet black wings and tail, and his somber mate, gazing in awe-struck admiration at her lord and master.

The boy could have called them all by name, and talked over old times with each one of them.

"It looks," he said, "as though all my old friends had followed me to the city!"

Indeed, even the country boy had no realization of how many birds there are in Forest Park. Missouri, like all the states on the Mississippi river, has more varieties of birds than any other part of North and South America.

As for the number of varieties that fly over Forest Park or alight within its domains on their way to their breeding places, it is doubtless more than 125.

All of the specimens seen by the country boy on his entrance to the park nest among its trees, nearly all of them in plain view of the practiced eye. Further in the interior, where the woods are thicker and the travel less wide, are found the Thrushes.

The Brown Thrusher, Wilson's Thrush, the Wood Thrush, Tawny Thrush and Hermit Thrush, wearing their brown and white and black dresses in various styles, but all with metallic voices, bend the twigs, grasses and rags into the form of nests and lay their eggs.

Alongside of them, in the underbrush, the Black-Billed Cuckoo hides her flaky-blue eggs in a rough bed of twigs, while the Cat Bird, the best dressed member of the bird family, in his smooth, tailor-made coat of gray, sits among the brambles and mocks the other birds' songs.

The Song-Sparrow, the Black-Throated Green Warbler, the Indigo Bird, Redstart and Shrike, the Cedar Bird, with his crest and dress of a grayish-green, yellow, black and white; the Rose-Breasted Grosbeak, the Nuthatch and many other nests in the trees above, and the thick branches and bushes near the ground, fearing no foes, but the Cow-Bunting, who lays her eggs in the first nest she sees, or the Blue Jay, who descends from his home in the pine tree to give battle to weaker birds.

And in the Orchard the King Bird has his home, where his mate sits on four white eggs, mottled with brown and black, and chases the bees. The Pigeon, Woodpecker (or Nicker) hammers the limbs for woodborers and slugs, and in a sawdust-lined nest in a hole in a tree trunk, industriously lays white porcelain-like eggs, through whose shells you can see the yolk like an imprisoned sun. Near by, the American Goldfinch (or Yellow Bird) builds his swansdown house and guards the five little creamy eggs, which mean so much to him and his wife.

His song, which he sings while on the wing, is as cheery as the Bobolink's flute-like trill, as he flutters, black and white, high over the nest in the grass.

The Whip-Poor-Will, whose beseeching cry startles the night when the air is still, can be found among the grasses where the sunlight seldom falls. That is, if your eyes are particularly sharp, for he is a guerrilla and does not show himself openly. Besides he is so nearly the color of the twigs that you may almost step on him before you are aware of his presence.

Hidden in the grass, too, are the nests of the Ground Sparrow and the Oven Bird, the latter built into the side of a little mound and hidden by a door.

Where there is a tall pine there is a Crow's nest, big and coarsely built, but holding five beautiful eggs, slashed all over with green marks, like pen lines.

And among the honeysuckles the Humming-Bird hides his nest, so small that it looks like a moss-covered knot on a dead limb.

Here are the stables, and in their chimneys the Chimney Swallow fastens his queer, glutinous habitation, which hardly keeps the eggs from falling out.

Amid the rafters the Barn Swallow builds, and in a big hole in the clapboards the Barn Owl raises a pair of young hoot

EASTER SERMONS BY MANY DIVINES.

The First Easter of the New Century, Its Promise and Significance.

WRITTEN BY CARDINAL GIBBONS FOR THE SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH.

ON THIS first Easter morning of the twentieth century—a century full of p romise for the spread of Christianity—it is well to recall the fact that religion is the essential basis of civil society. Religion is the bond that unites man with his Creator.

I employ the term "religion" here in its broadest and most comprehensive sense, as embodying the existence of God; his infinite power and knowledge; his providence over us; the recognition of a divine law; the moral freedom and responsibility of man; the distinction between good and evil; the duty of rendering our homage to God and justice and charity to our neighbor; and, finally, the existence of a future state of rewards and punishments.

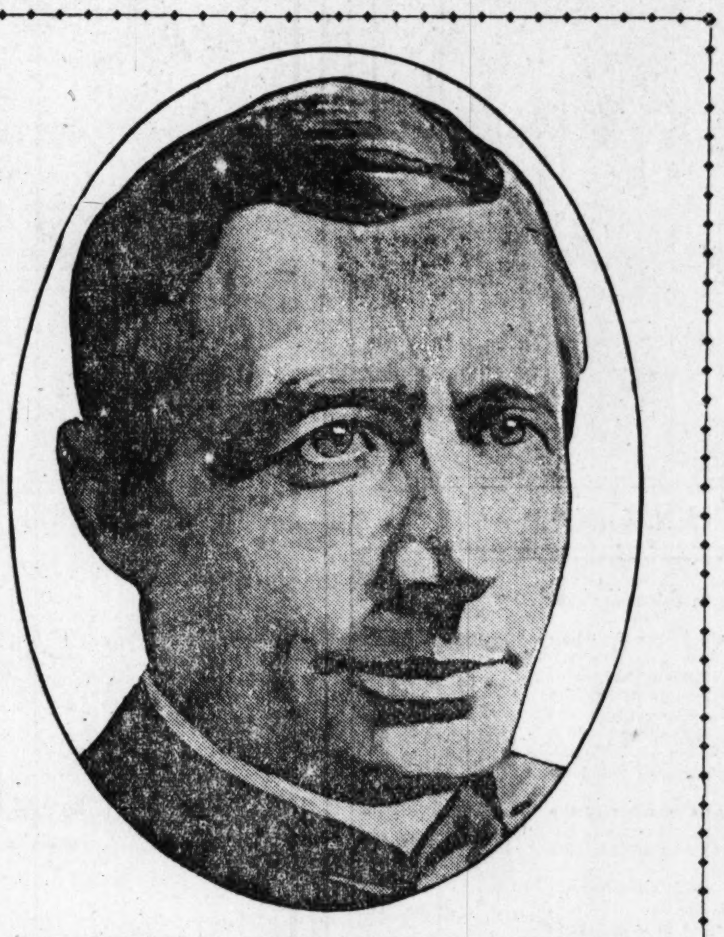
I hold that religion is the only solid basis of society. If the social edifice rests not on this eternal and immutable foundation, it will soon crumble to pieces. It would be as vain to establish society without religion as to erect a palace in the air, or to hope to reap a crop from seed scattered on the ocean's surface. Religion is to society what cement is to the building; it makes all parts compact and coherent. "He who destroys religion," says Plato, "overthrows the foundations of human society."

The social body is composed of individuals who have constant relations with one another, and the very life and preservation of society demand that the members of the community discharge toward one another various and complex duties.

What does society require of your rulers and magistrates? What does it require of you? It demands of your rulers that they dispense justice with an even hand. It demands of you to be loyal to your country, zealous in her defense, faithful in the observance of her laws, conscientious in the payment of impost and taxes for her maintenance and support.

It demands of the married couple conjugal fidelity, of parents provident vigilance, of children filial love. In a word, it demands that you "render to all men their dues, tribute to whom tribute is due, custom to whom custom, fear to whom fear, honor to whom honor," and that you "render to Cesar the things that are Cesar's, and to God the things that are God's.

How can these social virtues be practiced without sufficient motives? These motives must be strong and powerful, because you have passions and self-interest to overcome. They must be universal, because they are binding on all members of society. They must be permanent because they apply to all time and places.



HIS EMINENCE JAMES (CARDINAL) GIBBONS.

What motives, religion apart, are forcible enough to compel legislators, rulers and magistrates to be equitable and impartial in their decisions? What guarantee have we that they will not be biased by prejudice and self-interest?

The civil power cannot enter the hidden recesses of the soul and quell the tumults raging there. It cannot invade the domestic circle to expel the itnemperance and lewdness that enervate and debauch both mind and body. It cannot suppress those base calumnies, whispered in the dark, which poison the social atmosphere with their foul breath and breathe hatred, resentment and death. You might as well expect to preserve a tree from decay by lopping off a few withered branches whilst allowing the worms to gnaw at the roots, as to preserve the social tree from moral corruption by preventing some external crimes whilst leaving the heart to be worm-eaten by vice.

If the civil sword, even by the aid of religion, can scarcely restrain public disorders, how futile would be the attempt to do so without the co-operation of moral and religious influences.

If neither the vengeance of the civil power, nor the hope of emoluments, nor the esteem of our fellow men, nor the natural love of justice, nor the influence of education and culture, nor all these motives combined can suffice to maintain peace and order in society, where shall we find an adequate incentive to exact of us a loyal obedience to the laws of the country? This incentive is found only in religious principles.

Religion, I maintain, is the only sure and solid basis of society. Convince me of the existence of a divine legislator, the supreme source of all law, by whom "kings reign and lawgivers decree just things;" convince me of the truth of the apostolic declaration that there is no power but from God, and that these that are,are ordained of God, and that, therefore, he who resisteth the power resisteth the ordinance of God;" convince me that there is a Providence who seeth my thoughts as well as my actions; that there is an incorruptible judge who cannot be bought with bribes nor blinded with deceit, who has no respect of persons, who will render to every man according to his works, who will punish transgressions and reward virtue in the life to come; convince me that I am endowed with free will and the power of observing or of violating the laws of the country, and then you place before me a monitor who impels me to virtue without regard to earthly emoluments or human applause, and who restrains me from vice without regard to civil penalties; you set before my conscience a living witness, who pursues me in darkness and in light and in the sanctuary of home as well as in the arena of public life.

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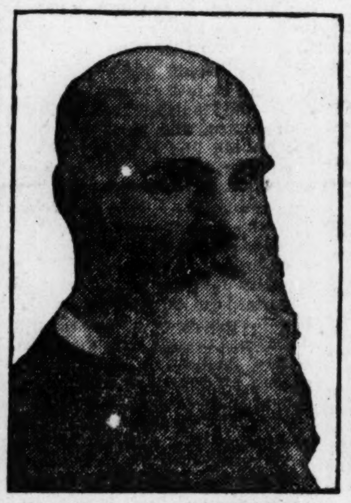

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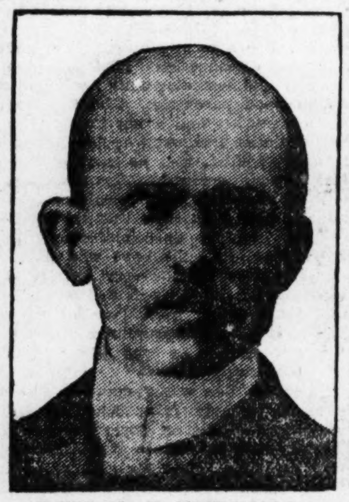

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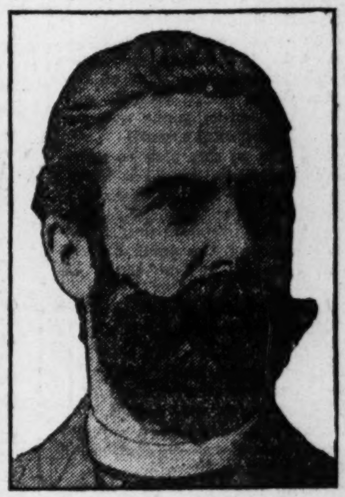

REV. S. P. HUEBER.

THE QUEEN OF DAYS

By RT. REV. DANIEL S. TUTTLE, Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Missouri.

EASTER is the queen of days. Easily so. For she is mother of all the Sundays, and her teaching weaves into itself faith, hope and love to a degree not equaled by that of any other day.

Faith means, sometimes, the act of believing, and, sometimes, the thing believed. In either case the resurrection of Christ lies at the very foundation of Christian faith. Without it all other faith is vain. St. Paul says so, and adds that in that case "Ye are yet in your sins." When Judas had made away with himself Matthias was added to the eleven apostles, "to be a witness with us of his resurrection." The Bible makes "Jesus and the resurrection" to be eminently the text of the first preaching of the Christian gospel. Faith in any other scriptural miracle or in all other scriptural miracles is of no use without faith in the resurrection of Christ. And faith in his resurrection makes faith in any other scriptural miracle, which is plainly claimed and adequately attested as fact, to be reasonable, logical and natural. Faith in the miracle of the virgin birth of incarnate deity depends, not on a woman's testimony alone, but on faith in the miracle of the resurrection.

Hope sings in all the Easter cards of thanks and praise and joy, and shines in the springtime sun and blooms in the outbursting flowers. Hope in human hearts is a singing and a shining and a flowering thing. Faith looks back as well as forward. Hope looks forward only. Looking in wide-eyed and grateful vision she catches the meaning of this strange, mysterious earthly existence. That each human life is not a fragmentary entity of only three score and ten years of duration. That it is not snuffed out into the dark like a candle. That it is not merged into the metaphysical sea of abstract humanity. That it is not lost in the attenuated vagueness of spiritualized continuity. That death is not the be-all nor the end-all. That death touches not the soul at all; it hurts the body only for a time. That at the last great day each human body shall fling death off as Christ's body flung death off in the garden sepulcher. That then, with the body risen and its own soul re-entering, each one resumes the real, old, human life of conscious personal identity; only, for those saved in Christ, in a higher, nobler, sweeter, stronger, surer way. That—to use the imperfect language of the unknowing present in thought of the wonders of the resplendent future—our works and studies of this world are to be continued, our affections and aspirations, our duties and helpful servings, but so continued that the smearing of the stains of sin and the bitternesses of the draughts of sorrow and the darkening of the shadow of death are never more to touch them. It is the Easter hope that tells out this story. Of the resurrection of the body, and then of the resumed real, old human life of each one in conscious personal identity after the resurrection. I need not pause for pointing out in any long way of detail how personal identity does not at all depend on chemical identity. The chemical atoms in the body of a man of 60 are entirely different from those that were in that same body at 16. But the personal identity is unchanged.

So it makes no difference where the chemical atoms in the dead body go to or into what other innummerable forms they may enter. The body risen with the soul re-entering will have the same old, real, personal identity regardless of the question as to where the former chemical elements have gone.

Love—what day more than Easter can call forth its outflow from our hearts? Love, grateful love, to the Saviour, for that he has overcome death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life; and that a renewed, ennobled, human life in continuance, and not abdication, of the life lived here. Love, patient and allowance-making love for our brethren, for we are not done with them when we have left this earthly scene, but if saved in Christ, we are to go on to live with them and for them in another life, though with hurts and hates and twists and stumblings no longer, in that home of many mansions where he has gone to prepare a place for them that love him.

> Oh! day of days! Shall hearts set free
> No "minstrel rapture" find for thee?
> Thou art the Sun of other days,
> They shine by giving back thy rays."

THE CENTRAL FACT.

By REV. FRANK G. TYRRELL of the Mt. Cabanne Christian Church, King's highway and Morgan street.

WHAT became of the body? Ingenious theories have been advanced to account for the dispersed guard, the broken seal, and the empty sepulchre, but no explanation is so simple and satisfactory, nor so in harmony with the history, as the fact that Jesus of Nazareth arose from the dead, bringing life and immortality to light. Thus we are assured that he in indeed the Christ, long expected by the devout Jews, the son of the living God. Banish all the miracles, if you please; call them juggler's tricks, the occult arts of Egypt, but the resurrection will overwhelm you!

The resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead is the central fact of Christianity. Clearer and more radiant today than ever before we have a historic Christ; likewise the resurrection stands forth as a historic fact, supported by overwhelming evidence. Indeed, it never was in the moonlit realm of fancy; it never even sounded like ficition. In the light of the resurrection morn, there is a new beauty glowing from every lowly mound and crypt and sarcophagus and mauseoleum have burst into bloom. Death is transformed. It has become a splendid process, by which our immortality is wrought out. Death is a black weaver, and remorselessly he flings his shuttle, a dart, we think, to thrust us through, but it flies back and forth, weaving for us the white robes of immortality. Would you stop the weaver and destroy the web?

The resurrection of Christ gives us confidence in the gospel as the veritable word of God. There are many jangling voices, many conflicting opinions; many confusing doctrines. False teaching is enforced by learning and eloquence; it is skillfully mingled with fragments of truth, and sometimes deceives the very elect. Who shall discriminate? How shall we separate the wheat from the chaff? Logical skill, learning vast and profound, and eloquence irresistibly captivating may enforce the doctrine which takes you away from Christ, but is that doctrine bottomed on a resurrection? There is but one Christ, but one resurrection. And that resurrection echoes the voice which came from the excellent glory, "This is my beloved son; hear him!"

What shall be do when trouble marshals her black cohorts and wars against us? What shall we do when the years multiply, and the white snowdrifts are piled high where the violets used to bloom? What shall we do we do when the anguish of bereavement rends us, and looking up through scalding tears we discover that we walk almost alone? Be comforted with the assurance of resurrection and reunion, declaring jubilantly "I know that my Redeemer liveth!"

Horace says mournfully: "Night presses down upon us, and the brief duration of life forbids the building up of distant hopes." But the Christian says, "Life is endless; death sets me free from limitations and weaknesses, and gives me room for projects vast and high. It is Easter morning for the church, for the world."

THIS IS THE DAY.

By REV. EDWARD FENLON, Rector of St. Bridget's Church, Jefferson avenue and Gamble street.

"HAEC dies quam facit Dominus exultemus et latemur in ea." Throughout the known world where a Catholic priest is to be found these words are placed on his lips today by the Holy Church and he chants them in praise to God with all the joy of his full heart. When translated they mean "This is the day which the Lord hath made; let us be glad and rejoice therein."

A stranger to the Catholic religion stepping into a Catholic Church on Good Friday could not but see that something extraordinary was going on. It looks like a house of death, he would say to himself, there is nothing here but what is indicative of sorrow and sadness of heart beyond expression, and he would be right in his conjectures. A death has taken place—the death of God, become man, for man's redemption. And can such a death as he suffered be forgotten? No, never, till the archangels' trumpet shall sound. Let the same individual step into a Catholic Church the following Sunday—Easter Sunday—and what a contrast is there presented to his view. The gloomy, dark atmosphere is dispelled and the church has summoned to her aid all that nature and art can contribute to make it a bright, brilliant and glorious morning, for he over whom she mourned on Good Friday, rose triumphantly on the following Sunday. "He is risen," said the angel to the holy women who went to embalm his body. "He is not here; behold this place where they laid him." And as the church can never forget the terrible tragedy of Good Friday, she cannot either forget the glorious mystery of Easter Sunday morning. Then she opens out her heart in congratulation to her dear Savior. Then, too, her heart swells up with emotions of gratitude for leaving her such a convincing proof of his divinity and therefore of her own divinity. For "if Christ," says Paul, "had not risen from the dead, then our faith would be vain." All the teachers and fathers of the church have always pointed to it as a most convincing proof of Christ's being the son of God.

In truth our Lord pointed to his resurrection as a proof of his divinity. When on one occasion he was asked for a proof thereof he said: "Destroy this temple and in three days I will raise it up again," and he spoke of the temple of his body. Again when a similar question was put to him another time he replied: "No other sign shall be given you than the sign of Jonah, the prophet, for as Jonah was buried three days and three nights in the belly of the whale, so the son of man shall be three days in the bowels of the earth, but on the third day he shall rise again." Therefore, had he not risen he might be regarded as an imposter, and St. Paul's words would be true, "our faith would be vain." That he rose from the tomb cannot be doubted.

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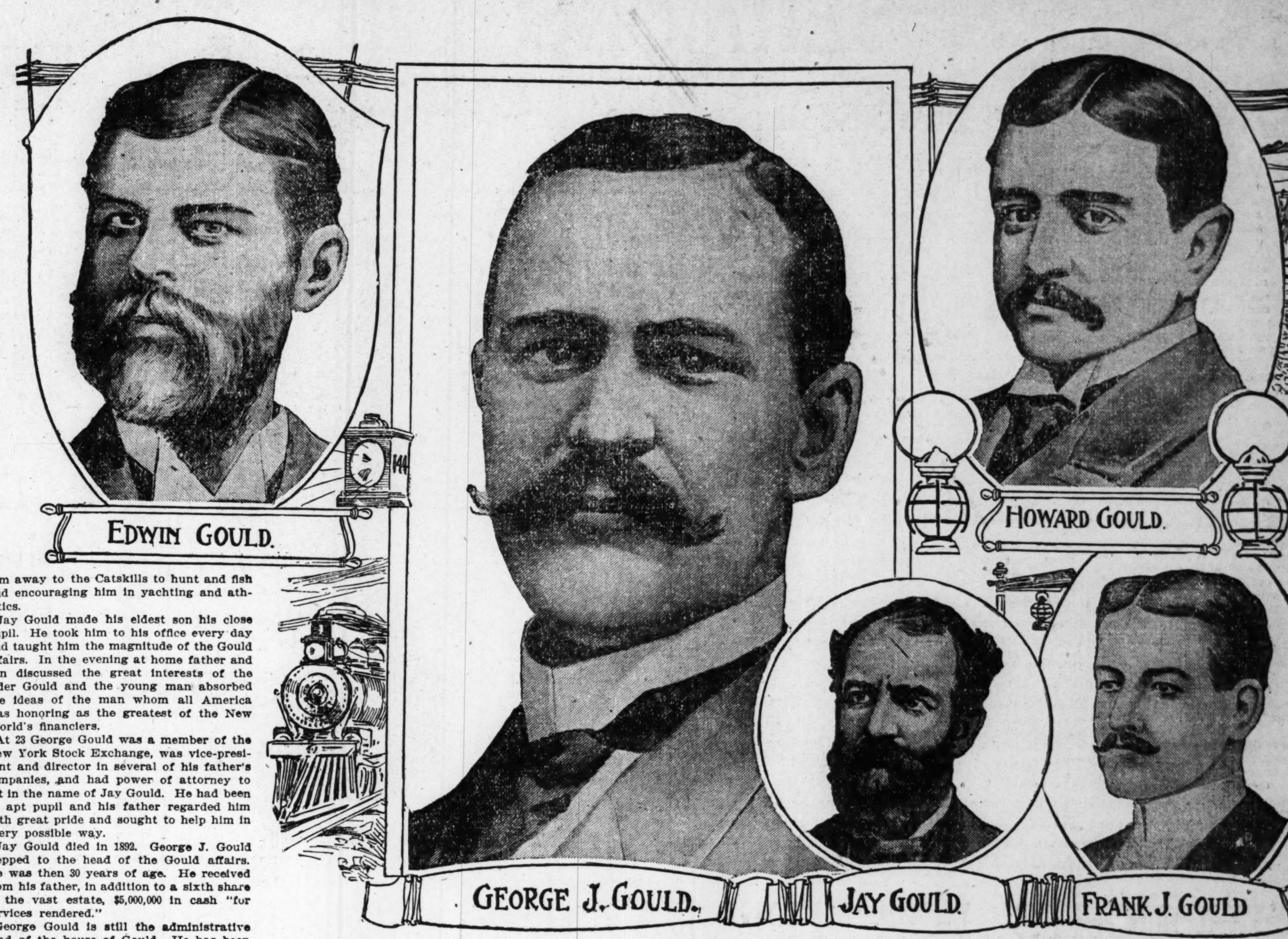
GEORGE GOULD'S GIGANTIC RAILROAD COMBINATION.

Nearly All the Principal Railroads of the Mississippi Valley and Many Feeders to Be Gathered Into One Great $300,000,000 Combination With Headquarters in St. Louis.



EDWIN GOULD.

HOWARD GOULD.

GEORGE J. GOULD.

JAY GOULD.

FRANK J. GOULD.

GEORGE JAY GOULD is organizing and planning to become the chief executive of the greatest railroad system in the world.

The railroad Mr. Gould would control would be worth a billion dollars. It would have main tracks enough to reach from St. Louis east across seas and continents to San Francisco. Its rolling stock would make a train of 1100 miles of coaches and 18 miles of engines. It would have a bonded debt of more than half a billion dollars, and would have to earn more than $130,000,000 a year for its owners to make money.

There is probably no other man in all the wide world who could reasonably plan to control any such railroad as this. This is true because Mr. Gould has for the foundation of his great system the seven Gould railroads, in themselves enough to surpass any system the railroad world has known until the recent organization of railroads by James J. Hill. It is possible for Mr. Gould to take the Gould railroads for a foundation for his proposed system because these roads are in the control of his family. He is himself president of three of them. His brother, Edwin, is president of a fourth. His brother Frank is vice-president of two others. The four Gould brothers, George, Edwin, Howard and Frank, are in some official position in every one of the Gould roads, and their aggregate holdings enable them to control.

GOULDS AS RAILROAD OFFICIALS

GEORGE J. GOULD is president of three railroads. They are the Missouri Pacific, the International & Great Northern and the Texas & Pacific. He is also a director of the Chicago & Alton Railroad.

Edwin Gould is president of the St. Louis Southwestern Railroad—the Cotton Belt. He is also a director of the Wabash and the International & Great Northern.

Howard Gould is a director of the Missouri Pacific Railroad, the International & Great Northern and the Texas & Pacific.

Frank Gould is first vice-president of the Missouri Pacific Railroad, second vice-president of the Texas & Pacific Railroad and a director of the International & Great Northern Railroad.

Taking the Gould railroads for a foundation, Mr. Gould purposes to complete his great system by adding five other railroads belonging to the Harriman syudicate. In one of these, the Chicago & Alton, he is himself a director. In a consolidation of these roads with the Gould roads George Jay Gould would rank as the chief organizer, most active railroad manager, and the chief individual owner, a distinction which would naturally insure for him selection as the chief executive of the new system.

The immensity of the Gould plan is perhaps better understood when it is known that the Gould roads are the Missouri Pacific, Iron Mountain, Wabash, International & Great Northern, Cotton Belt, Denver & Rio Grande and Texas & Pacific, and that the Harriman roads concerned are the Illinois Central, St. Louis & San Francisco, Chicago & Alton, Kansas City Southern and Chicago & Eastern Illinois. Their easternmost terminus is that of the Wabash at Buffalo; their furthest west is the terminus of the Denver & Rio Grande at Ogden, Utah. North and south they reach from Lyle, Minn., to the Gulf of Mexico and the Rio Grande.

Mr. Gould plans to have a railroad system which shall cover the whole Mississippi valley. He would make a map of the Gould railroad system seem a network—a monstrous cobweb, east and west and north and south over the world's greatest and richest agricultural district. Already the Goulds are building new branches and connections, and if they shall follow up the natural advantages of such a consolidation of roads as is planned, the result will be a railroad system so enormous as to have startled in its conception even Jay Gould, the greatest of latter-day railroad masters. The single addition of the Union Pacific with those of the Harriman syndicate roads mentioned in the Gould connection would make the new Gould system as wide and long as the United States and immense beyond all reasonable possibility to surpass it.

The people naturally desire to know what the Goulds want with such an enormous system. Even such a consideration does not increase the holdings of the Goulds themselves. Every big and little stockholder in every one of the 12 roads must still hold his quota in the new system, and each road must have its separate corporate existence and its officers in charge of affairs. But to the railroad man the Gould plan presents a more business-like phase. He understands how, by the community of interest plan and control of the entire system by a single executive head; by connecting the tracks of the various roads and making more direct routes between given points, and by half a score of lesser advantages, a consolidation of 12 big railroads could profit the Goulds immensely in addition to giving George J. Gould an opportunity to achieve his apparent ambition to become the world's greatest executive of railroads.

The aggregate mileage of these 12 roads is 20,713.05 miles. In a continuous track they would reach from Boston across the Atlantic Ocean, across Europe and Asia and then across the Pacific Ocean and the West to St. Louis. Their aggregate rolling stock is 121,932 cars and 3161 locomotives. Made up in a single train these would reach in an unbroken chain from St. Louis to Boston, with 18 miles of engines and 1100 miles of cars. Traveling at a 30-mile an hour rate this train would hold a Missouri farmer 36 hours at a road crossing before he could drive by.

The aggregate of the assets of the roads Mr. Gould plans to consolidate is in round numbers a billion dollars, or specifically $997,577,409.27.

They traverse 24 of the 45 states of the Union and two territories, being the States of New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Missouri, Iowa, Wisconsin, Michigan, Minnesota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Colorado, Utah, New Mexico, Texas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, Tennessee, Kentucky and Arkansas and the Indian Territory and Oklahoma.

The aggregate of their bonded debt is $539,895,007, and the total of their stock outstanding is $458,765,610.

The cost of operating these railroads averages $4078.55 per mile in a year. To operate the entire system Mr. Gould purposes organizing will cost in 12 months $84,479,210.08.

They must pay $4,000,000 for taxes. Adding to these the interest upon indebtedness and the cost of rentals, etc., it may be understood that the railroad system Mr. Gould would organize must earn an enormous sum of money if their owners are to be profited anything. Last year these same roads earned $130,172,095. Their operating expenses were $88,994,445. Their total net income was $45,183,608. Their gross earnings were 14 per cent of their aggregate assets.

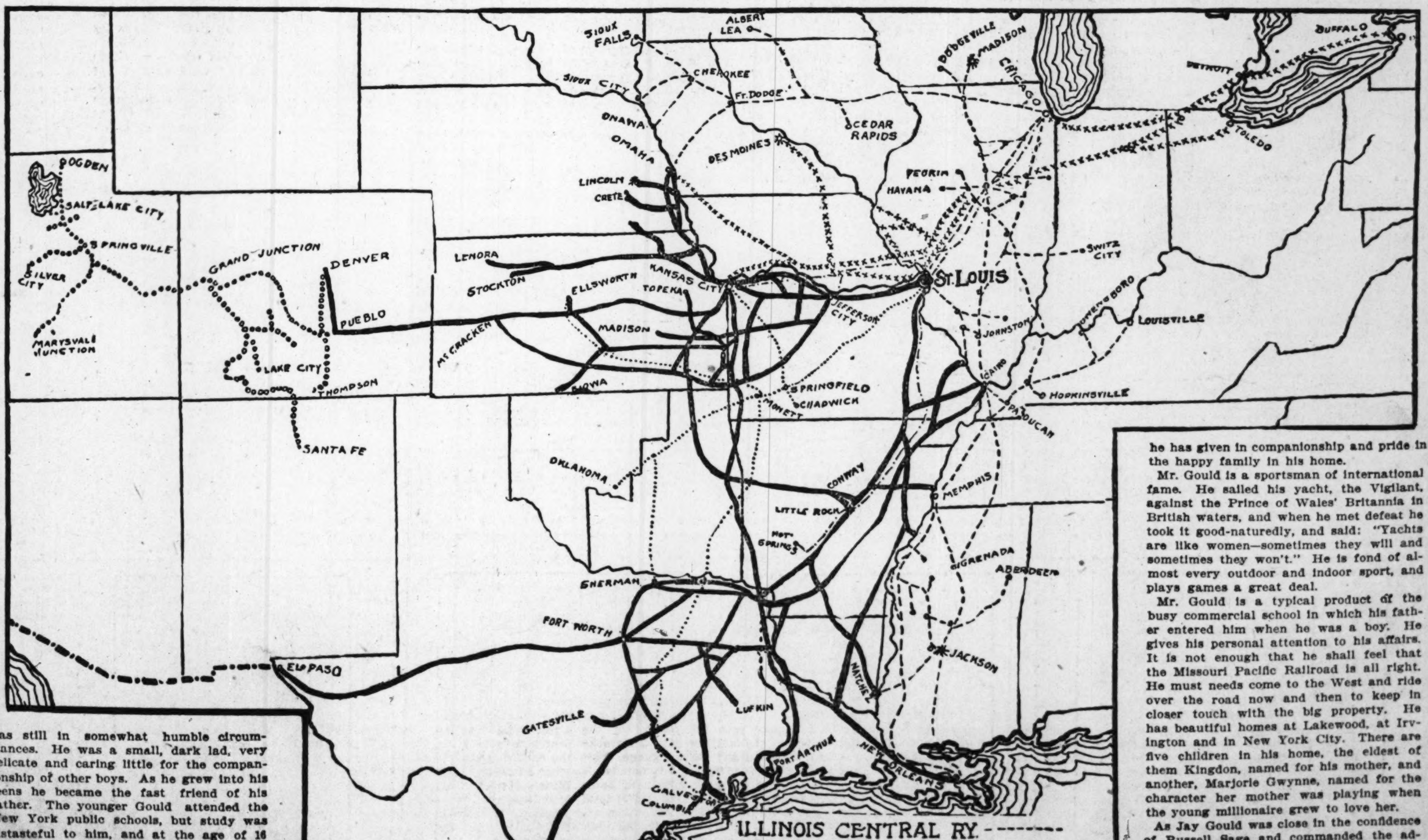
There is no other such railroad system as that which it is given out Mr. Gould will organize. There are great systems the country over, such as the Northwestern, Southern Pacific and the Burlington, each with more than 8000 miles of track, but these are small in comparison with the giant which Mr. Gould is bringing into existence. Heretofore the railroad world has had systems made up with many small railroads, such as the Wabash system, which has grown by the absorption of 70 small roads. But now Mr. Gould is to introduce the great railway system made up of many great railway systems. He purposes taking such big roads as the Wabash, the Illinois Central, the Missouri Pacific and the Frisco and making them one system under a single excutive head. Even if the Harriman syndicate roads do not become a part of the new system Mr. Gould plans, he will still have in his organization railroads with an aggregate capitalization of $300,000,000.

It is given out that in this plan to unite the Gould and Harriman railroads Mr. Gould has the consent of John D. Rockefeller and J. Pierpont Morgan, who are said to look with favor upon a proposed unification of western railroads from the north central and west central states to the Gulf of Mexico.

WHO GEORGE GOULD IS.

THE man who would consolidate 12 big railroads and make of them the greatest railroad system in the world is the eldest son of the late Jay Gould, who left an estate worth $83,000,000 and enjoyed through his later years the distinction of being America's greatest financier.

George Jay Gould was his father's favorite son. He was born on University place, in New York City, in 1862, when his father was still in somewhat humble circumstances. He was a small, dark lad, very delicate and caring little for the companionship of other boys. As he grew into his teens he became the fast friend of his father. The younger Gould attended the New York public schools, but study was distasteful to him, and at the age of 16 years he secured from his father permission to leave his books and go to work. He was ambitious. He had the industrious spirit of his father and the capacity for business. As he grew in age and experience his father placed him in responsible positions, making him a director and officer in many of the companies in which his father held a controlling interest. Young Gould still continued delicate and very slight, and his father encouraged him to recreate, sending him away to the Catskills to hunt and fish and encouraging him in yachting and athletics.



The cobweb of railway tracks shows the Gould system as George Gould purposes making it.

Jay Gould made his eldest son his close pupil. He took him to his office every day and taught him the magnitude of the Gould affairs. In the evening at home father and son discussed the great interests of the elder Gould and the young man absorbed the ideas of the man whom all America was honoring as the greatest of the New World's financiers.

At 23 George Gould was a member of the New York Stock Exchange, was vice-president and director in several of his father's companies, and had power of attorney to act in the name of Jay Gould. He had been an apt pupil and his father regarded him with great pride and sought to help him in every possible way.

Jay Gould died in 1892. George J. Gould stepped to the head of the Gould affairs. He was then 30 years of age. He received from his father, in addition to a sixth share of the vast estate, $5,000,000 in cash "for services rendered."

George Gould is still the administrative head of the house of Gould. He has been even so appointed by the court in the case of his sister, the Countess Anna de Castellane, and her fortune-squandering, duel-fighting little husband. George Gould has been a frequent visitor to St. Louis. The Missouri Pacific Railroad has been his business school. His father gave him a prominent hand in its management when he was first broadening out as a railroad man, and he has never permitted any of his other connections to lessen his interest in the Missouri Pacific. He is the president of the system, and frequently rides over it. He became a telegraph operator in youth, and is in many other respects a railroad man beyond the ability to finance and manage a road.

VALUE OF THE SYSTEM.

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Their total surplus was $3,627,244.

George Gould is of average height and build and is quiet and unassuming. He has an aptitude for business, and is a hard worker. He has steadily added to the fortune he inherited from his father and is one of the world's very rich men. That he is ambitious to win a fame similar to that of his father is proven by his plan to consolidate the Gould and the Harriman railroads into a single system. Being the principal owner and an official of all the Gould roads and a stockholder and official in some of the Harriman roads, he is naturally the logical chief executive of the great system he purposes to create.

When George Gould was still very young he married Miss Edith Kingdon, an actress in Daly's Theater. He was a frequent patron of the theaters and fell deeply in love with Miss Kingdon after seeing her on the stage and meeting her through a formal introduction. Miss Kingdon was a pretty and sensible young American woman, of good parentage. She was supporting her mother and living humbly, but her womanliness was such as the young millionaire admired, and he married her with his father's consent. The marriage has proven most happy. There is no happier home in the land than that of the George Goulds, and no finer children than the little George Gould boys and girls. Mr. and Mrs. Gould made very few social pretensions in the first few years of their married life, but they have within recent years been quite prominent, Mrs. Gould being regarded as one of New York's most charming women.

Their wedding was romantic. One afternoon in August Miss Kingdon and her mother were driven down to the foot of Twenty-third street to the Atalanta, Mr. Gould's yacht. The yacht steamed to the Gould home at Irvington, where Mrs. Kingdon and daughter, Mrs. Gould, were met by a member of Mr. Gould's family. The party was driven to the house, where, in the presence of the bride's mother and the groom's family, George J. Gould and Miss Kingdon were married.

George Gould has had great opportunities, and he is a success. He was the richest of the Goulds when his father's estate was divided, and he is still the richest of the Goulds, and ever so much richer than his father left him. He was made president of a railroad when he was 21 years old, and he has succeeded there until he is now the president of three railroads and prospective president of the greatest railroad system in the world. He has shown capacity for just such enormous financial undertakings as made his father rich. He has been always a typical gentleman of America, tireless in work, fertile in resource, modest in manner and popular among his countrymen. His love for his family has, perhaps, exhibited the best side of him more than all else. Direction of one of the greatest of fortunes has never made him too busy for him to give much of his time to his wife and his children. He has in a modest way lavished his wealth upon them, but more than this he has given in companionship and pride in the happy family in his home.

Mr. Gould is a sportsman of international fame. He sailed his yacht, the Vigilant, against the Prince of Wales' Britannia in British waters, and when he met defeat he took it good-naturedly, and said: "Yachts are like women—sometimes they will and sometimes they won't." He is fond of almost every outdoor and indoor sport, and plays games a great deal.

Mr. Gould is a typical product of the busy commercial school in which his father entered him when he was a boy. He gives his personal attention to his affairs. It is not enough that he shall feel that the Missouri Pacific Railroad is all right. He must needs come to the West and ride over the road now and then to keep in closer touch with the big property. He has beautiful homes at Lakewood, at Irvington and in New York City. There are five children in his home, the eldest of them Kingdon, named for his mother, and another, Marjorie Gwynne, named for the character her mother was playing when the young millionaire grew to love her.

As Jay Gould was close in the confidence of Russell Sage and commanded the admiration of this master of finance with his own money-making capacities, so too was George Gould had Mr. Sage for a co-worker and admirer. There have been times, to be sure, when the young millionaire and the man twice his senior could not agree, but in the main they have worked together to their mutual profit. It is said that Mr. Sage looks with disfavor upon Gould's present colossal railroad plans, but no one would care to suggest that for this reason Gould would lose courage or hesitate for a moment in doing that he has chosen to do. He has been interested in many great financial deals with many great financiers, and he has never failed to add to his fortune or to exhibit all the commercial qualities essential to holding his own. He has always been one of the heavy owners of Manhattan L and others of the big stocks, and his fortune has by this time grown to an enormous sum.

SIZE OF SYSTEM.

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Running at a rate of 30 miles an hour, this train would block a crossing 36 hours. Running west, the crew would find it necessary to light the lanterns upon the rear coach an hour before the engineer on the front engine would light his headlight.

The tracks of this system are in 24 of the 45 states of the Union and two of the territories.

THE OTHER GOULDS.

CLOSELY interested with their brother in this plan to consolidate railroads worth a billion dollars are the younger Gould boys, Edwin, Howard and Frank. Edwin is president of the Cotton Belt, one of the roads concerned; he is also a director of the Wabash and the International & Great Northern. Unlike his more conservative elder brother, Edwin has had wild oats to sow in his youth, and he did not become a factor in Wall street as early in life as his brother. When he did settle down, though, he became a chip of the old block, shrewd to plan and bold to execute. This second son of Jay Gould is dark and swarthy, with black hair, a full beard and black eyes. He is now 35 years old, is somewhat above the average height, is thin and slightly stooped and dresses plainly. There are no airs about the sons of Jay Gould.

Edwin Gould had not more than made his advent in Wall street before he proved himself a son of his father. He hid low in the market when bull points were being freely distributed from the Gould stronghold, and when the time was ripe put brokers to work on the Stock and Consolidated Exchanges hammering down prices. Even his father's pet stocks were sold short, and it was not until the cause had been found and a check put in the young man by his father that he released his hold. But while he held on he made a neat egg which he salted in the good old Gould fashion. Now he is a factor of significance in the financial world. He is many times a millionaire in his own right, and is the owner of fine homes and estates. Like his older brother, he is fond of outdoor sports, especially of driving and shooting, and is a crack shot. His wife was Miss Sarah Cantine Shrady, adopted daughter of a prominent New York physician, and they have several children, the eldest of them being the highest of the grandchildren of Jay Gould.

Howard Gould is the third son of Jay Gould. He is a director of the Missouri Pacific Railroad, the International & Great Northern and the Texas & Pacific, all to become a part of the great Gould system. He is tall and good-looking, and is a good in finance, having added largely to his inherited fortune. He married Miss Katherine Clemmons, an actress, against the

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THE EASTER BRIDE.

What She Should Wear According to the Dictates of the Great Authorities in Style, and Description of Gowns in Trousseaus Soon to Be Worn.

THIS month will be filled with weddings and many girls are now engaged on trousseaus to be worn in June.

Crepe de chine will be used for many of the spring bridal gowns; there is a very sumptuous satin crepe that is simply exquisite. The soft, clinging Louisines, flexible in texture and lustrous in finish, are also employed, and bengaline has its admirers. Then the gowns of chiffon, mousseline, organdie, point d'esprit and other diaphanous fabrics are very dainty and girlish.

One gown already made is of mousseline de soie over softest Liberty satin. Another of heavy, white satin embroidered in silver and pearls. Another model of ivory white satin trimmed with chiffon, another of white crepe de chine tucked, and there was a white silk gown completely covered with a lace robe.

One of the striking features of many of the new bridal costumes is their lavish use of lace. It is everywhere. Overdresses and tabliers of lace adorn the skirts; trains are covered with lace; in the form of flounces and frills, sleeves, yokes and boleros it is allowed to have very much its own way.

A good scheme to make satin hang better and look richer is to line it with a thin flannel or albatross cloth, especially the train. Of course over the albatross cloth goes the silk lining, but it is surprising how much softer and richer the material looks with the lining in it. The train of a wedding gown of crepe de chine which has just been completed in one of the Paris establishments on Rue de la Paix had three linings, one of heavy Canton flannel immediately under the crepe de chine to produce a soft, rich sweep; another lining of light crinoline to give the train body; a third of silk. The train is longer than ever this spring, giving ample scope for decoration, if desired, or it may be quite plain with soft chiffon frills underneath the edge.

As for veils, they are very long, too, as they must be in proportion to the length of the train. Lace veils and tulle veils are both worn. The tulle veils, fastened with a small rosette and orange blossoms, or a diamond ornament, are the favorites. The net veils with the lace applique designs on them and the long square veils are not perhaps so becoming as the tulle edged with lace. But in all cases they should be arranged with orange blossoms placed on the top of the head to give the height that is necessary, for if the hair is worn low and the veil is simply fastened without anything to give it the requisite appearance of style, the gown never looks smart.

Flowers are difficult to arrange on the wedding dress and yet white satin and orange blossoms cannot be disconnected. One of the smartest arrangement of flowers is seen on the waists that are draped in fichu effect with a bunch of orange flowers on the left shoulder and long sprays of the blossoms that go diagonally across the waist and down the skirt to the very hem. Another style of trimming with flowers is the one that is used with a lace front that is draped and caught on either side with bunches of orange blossoms from which hang long sprays in a most graceful fashion.

Many of the spring bridal gowns, following the fashion set by Wilhelmina, the youthful Queen of Holland, will shimmer with silver. The Queen's gown was of cloth of silver of the finest weaving imaginable, elaborately embroidered in silver and pearls. But white satin with only a slight silver embroidery is charming. Miss Cornwallis-West, who married the very wealthy young Duke of Westminster, wore a Josephine gown made with an overdress, which fell from under a yoke of silver embroidery. The overdress was of mousseline de soie, delicately scattered with small silver sequins and bordered with a rich design of chaplets, carried out in dull silver, pearls and silver roses. There were wired epaulettes of the embroidery, and the sleeves were wrought to correspond. The beautiful Empire train, four yards long, which had taken over two months to embroider, fell from the shoulders, and was of deep ivory panne, worked with long sprays of roses, garlands and wreaths in silver; it was rounded at the corners, and lined round the hem with a tulle ruche. The under dress was white satin. An antique lace veil was arranged over a crown of orange blossoms intermixed with diamonds. Her ornaments were pearls and diamonds, including a beautiful string of the former, and she carried a lovely bouquet of orange blossoms and myrtle, in which appeared a single small orange.

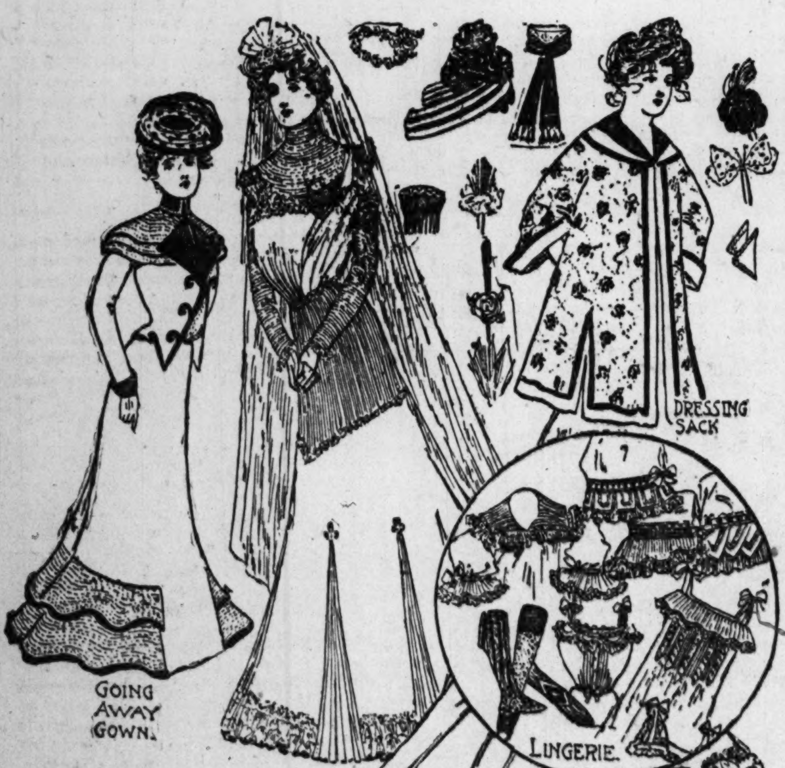
White glace gloves with plain, self-stitching are preferred by the fashionable brides, although suede gloves are worn to some extent. Slippers are of white satin or kid, trimmed with dainty rosettes, beaded in pearls or delicately touched with silver.

The ultra-fashionable bridal bouquet is in the graceful shower form, composed of orchids and lilies of the valley, tied with a fluffy bow of white tulle. A charming idea favored by Mme. La Mode is to affix some jeweled ornament which has been received by the bride to the diaphanous bow. A round bouquet of gardenias, tied with heavy, broad double-satin white ribbon, will also be carried by some of the spring brides.

If the bride-to-be prefer to carry a prayer book it will be an elegant ivory-bound affair, or one of white morocco. There is sometimes a sunken-in cross on the ivory prayer book, and the white morocco books may have silver or gold mountings.

There is a wide range for choice for the going-away gown. A very pretty traveling costume is illustrated today. It is in biscuit-colored cloth with panne strappings, stitched. The revers and cuffs are of panne and the capes and flounces on the skirt bound with panne and stitched.

In the matter of lingerie for the trousseau, the vogue is not exacting and individual taste has a wide scope. The sentiment for hand-made garments is universal, and if they cannot be made to order it is easy to buy them in large stores. There should be sets of a dozen, not necessarily matching, although those who can afford it do get their clothes in sets. One specially fine set should be worn with the wedding dress. These underclothes should include silk or woolen undershirts and drawers, chemises, underwaists, high and low, and stockings. Then come short white and flannel petticoats and long skirts. A pretty bed sacque, a dressing gown and a tea gown are desirable.



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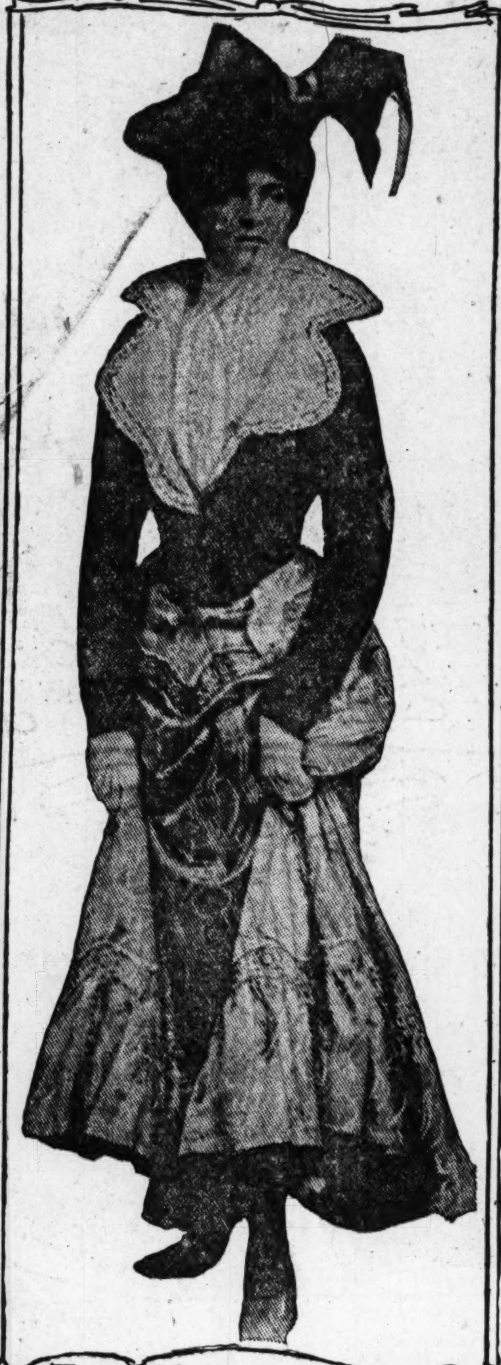
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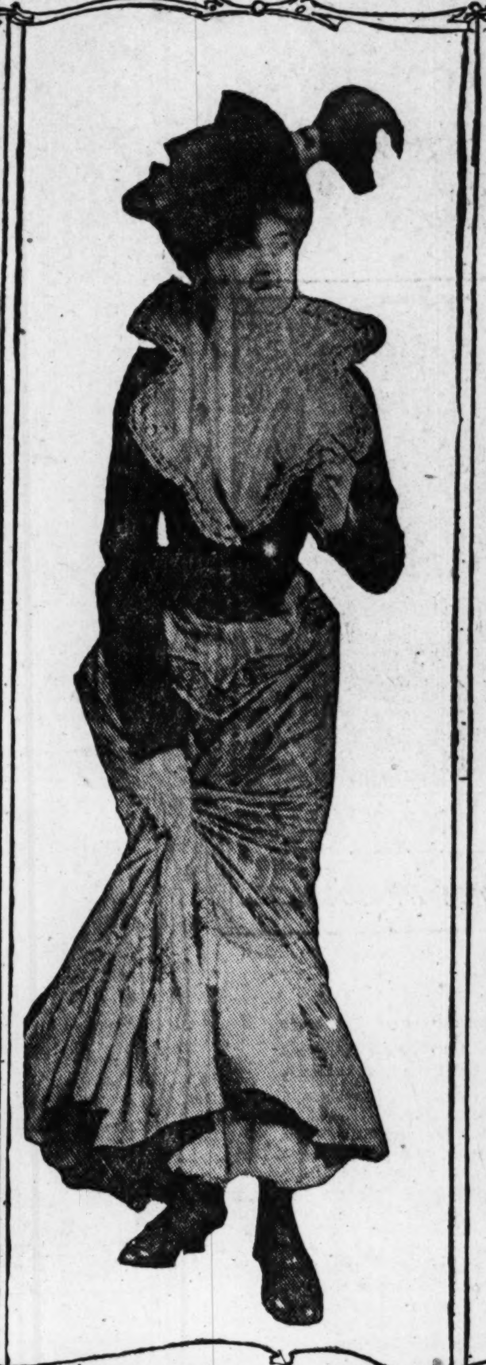
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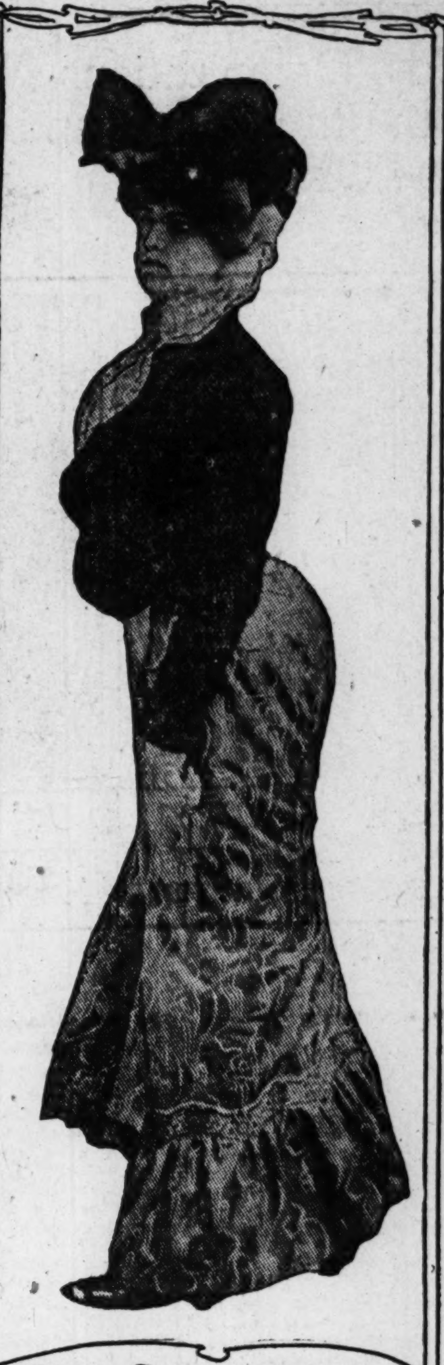
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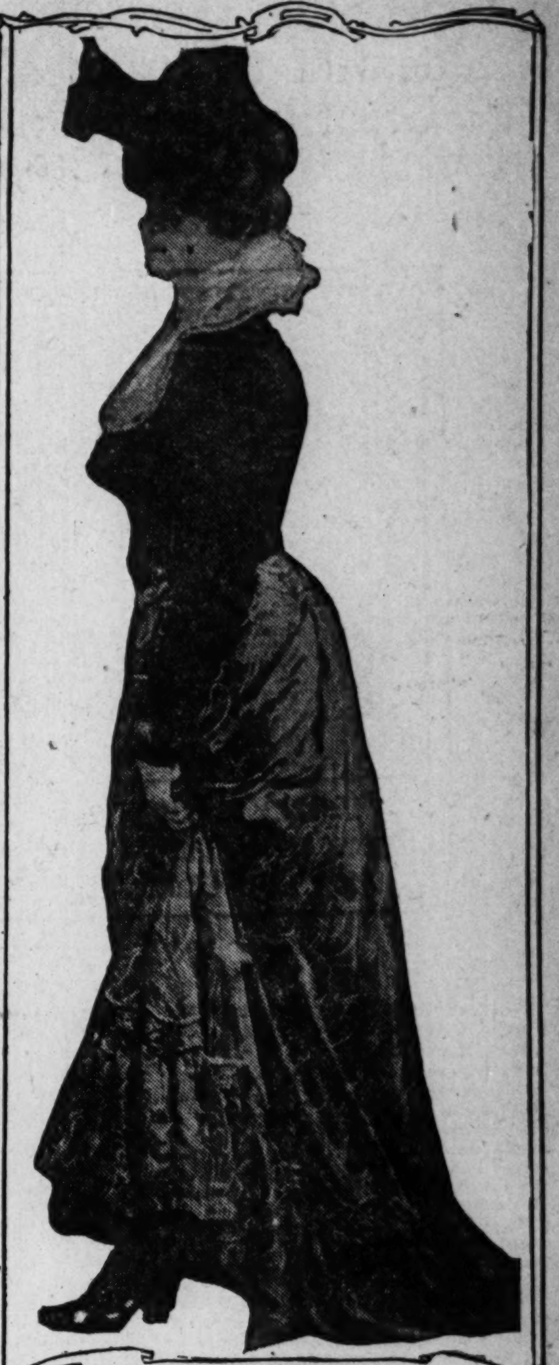
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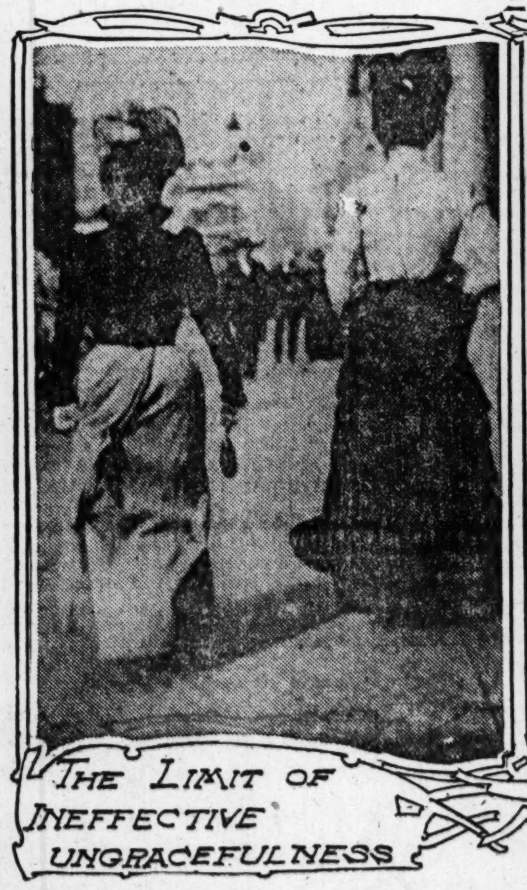
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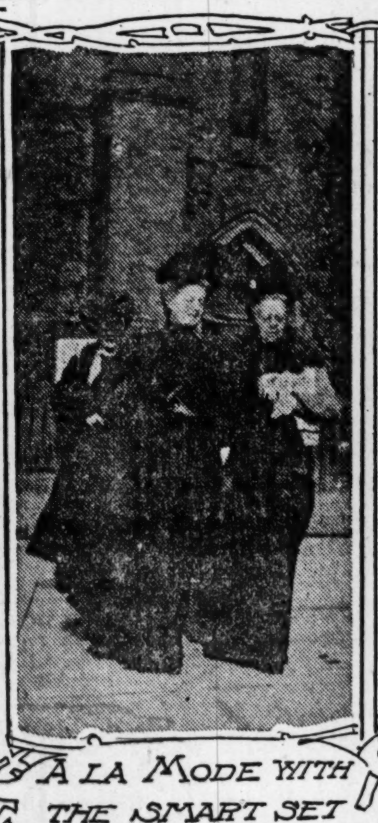
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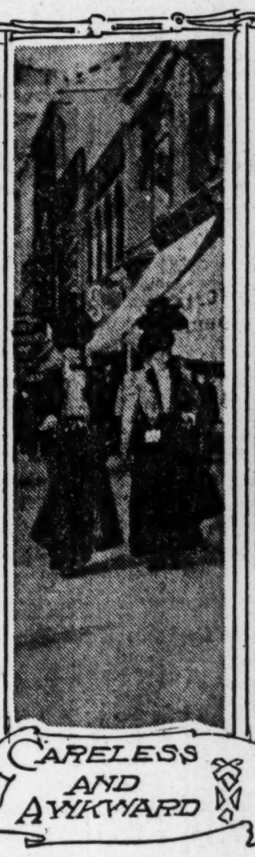
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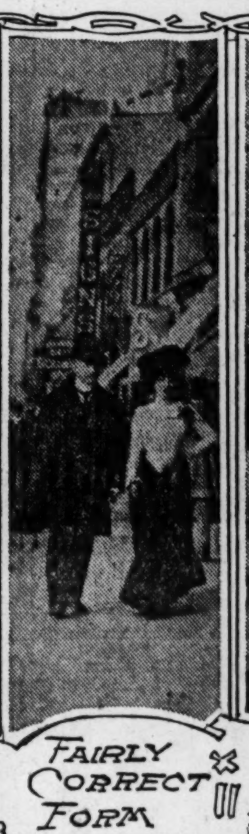
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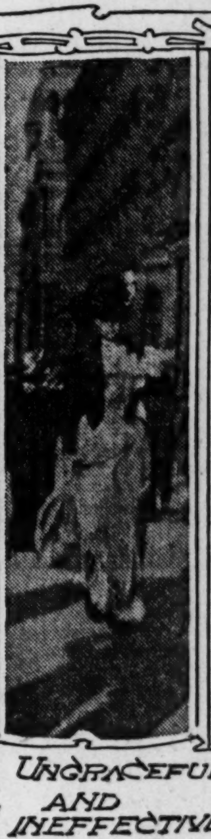
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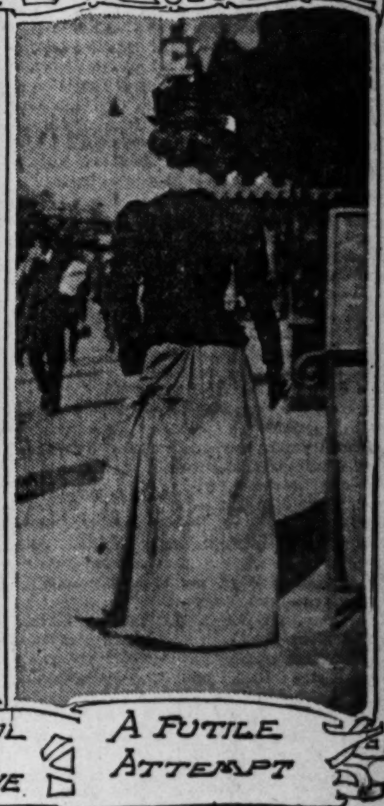
A FUTILE ATTEMPT

THERE seems to be an evil spirit whose especial function it is to thwart ninety-nine out of every one hundred women who attempt gracefully to keep their skirts clear of the streets by the prevailing plan of grasping them with the hand.

If a woman engaging in every other action fancies that she understands the art of raising gracefully her draperies clear of the uncleanly St. Louis thoroughfares, let some of her dear 500 friends "unbeknownst" to her spring a kodak after her as she takes her promenades and I'll wager the lady's vanity will suffer a shock.

The everyday woman grasps her gown at the back as though she were in danger of losing it. She jerks it up in an ungraceful bunch and keeps an unrelaxed grip of iron.

As a result possibly half a yard of the skirt is saved from the wrath to come tomorrow, when gowns are brushed, but the remainder is bedraggled and there is a mass of creases, resulting from the misapplied force that no pressing will do away with.

The woman knows she ought to be doing something to her skirt—she doesn't exactly recollect what—so she first nips it up daintily between thumb and third finger, somewhere on the right side and saunters on in happy ignorance of the absurd picture she presents—for of course the dress trails in the dust and mud on every side.

The woman who suddenly betrays a plebeian strain of blood by the true housemaid method of raising her skirts on either side with both hands quite to her ankles preserves her petticoats, but she is not an elegant vision, to say the least.

The proper way to lift the skirt is by no means the most difficult. On the contrary, the variations on what may be called the awkward theme in lifting the skirts require more strength, and looking at their complicative effects we would say far greater skill than the simple act requires.

The correct way to lift the dress skirt gracefully is to gather it neatly in the right hand about eight inches below the waist line in the back.

Once you have the skirt gathered in folds raise it until the lower edge clears the ground at least four inches.

The difference between the woman of distinguished appearance and the woman who looks carelessly put together and worse than commonplace—slovenly—is largely a matter of the way she holds her skirts.

THE GOULD SCHEME FOR CONSOLIDATING $300,000,000 WORTH OF RAILWAYS.

Continued From the Preceding Page of This Magazine.

wishes of his elder brothers and their wives, but they did not cause him to be left without his share of his father's wealth, as it was thought they might. He is in close touch with his brothers in all his financial affairs, and they wax richer together. As a young man, Howard Gould had $500,000 a year to spend as he chose. He indulged himself in such extravagances as going to England with a racing yacht in 1896 and winning a cup from Lord Dunraven.

Frank Jay Gould is the youngest of the sons of Jay Gould and the four brothers interested in this plan of wholesale railroad consolidation. He is the first vice-president of the International & Great Northern, and second vice-president of the Texas & Pacific, both to become a part of the big Gould system. Frank Gould inherited $10,000,000 as a birthday present when he became 21. He was perhaps the best educated of the Gould brothers, and has been tutored in business by his brother George with as much solicitude as George himself was guided by his father. Frank Gould is accredited with having no vices. He does not care for polo, yachting, golf or any of the outdoor sports so well loved by his brothers, and is his sister Helen's greatest admirer. It is freely predicted of him that he is to be the most successful of the Gould sons, more resembling his father in temperament and taste and giving early promise of a successful career.

THE ROADS INVOLVED.

ALL the roads involved in the Gould consolidation plan are in the territory of commercial St. Louis, the logical scene of the system headquarters. They have all been built within the last 50 years with the exception of a short section of the Wabash between Meredosia and Jacksonville, Ill.

The Gould lines are the Wabash, the Missouri Pacific, Iron Mountain, Cotton Belt, Texas & Pacific, International & Great Northern and the Denver & Rio Grande. Jay Gould acquired a controlling interest in all these except the Denver & Rio Grande prior to his death. His son has recently added this road to the Gould list. Investigation of the official rosters and directorates of these roads will show how actively the Goulds are in charge.

George Gould is president of the Missouri Pacific, the International & Great Northern and the Texas Pacific. Edwin Gould is president of the Cotton Belt. These and the younger brothers, Howard and Frank, are directors or officers in all the Gould roads.

The International & Great Northern Railroad extends from Longview, Tex., to Laredo, Velasco and Galveston. It is 825.4 miles long. It was built in the '70s as an extension of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas road from Longview to Laredo, where it connects with the Mexican Central, forming a direct line to the City of Mexico. It was built by Jay Gould, G. M. Dodge and Sidney Dillon, and all the stockholders were eastern people. Its total net income in 1899 was $1,209,784; total payments, $41,175,162; surplus, $34,622. It has always been a Gould road. The M., K. & T. road was a part of the Missouri Pacific system until it passed through a receivership and fell into the hands of John D. Rockefeller, who made it an independent road. George J. Gould is president of the International & Great Northern; S. H. H. Clark, vice-president; Frank J. Gould, second vice-president; Leroy Trice, third vice-president. The directors are George, Edwin and Howard Gould, S. H. H. Clark, Leroy Trice, A. R. Howard, Ira H. Evans, R. B. Hawley and F. A. Rice.

The Texas & Pacific Railroad extends from El Paso, Tex., to New Orleans, La. It is 1,514.86 miles long. It connects with the Mexican Central at El Paso, and with the International & Great Northern at Longview. It was built 25 years ago, Jay Gould being one of the projectors. Its total net income in 1899 was $2,581,898; total payments, $2,134,912; surplus, $446,983. It traverses middle Texas almost the entire width of the state, and does an enormous business hauling Texas stock and farm products. George J. Gould is president; S. H. H. Clark, vice-president; Frank J. Gould, second vice-president. The directors are Samuel Sloan, R. M. Gallaway, John T. Terry, George J. Gould, Thomas T. Eckert, Russell Sage, C. M. McGhee, C. E. Satterlee, Howard Gould, John P. Munn, Frank J. Gould, Winslow S. Pierce, Isaac J. Winstar, S. H. H. Clark and A. L. Hopkins.

The Denver & Rio Grande Railroad runs from Denver to Ogden, Utah, and south as far as Santa Fe, N. M. It is 1673 miles long, and has passed into the control of the Goulds within the last few day. Its tracks are both standard and narrow guage, 682.46 miles being standard and the remainder 3-foot gauge. In the year ending in June, 1900, its total net income was $3,873,983; total payments, $3,635,623; surplus, $238,300. In acquiring it the Goulds have extended their system as far west as Ogden, making the east and west span of the system from Buffalo to Ogden. George Coppell is the chairman of the board of directors, and Edward T. Jeffrys president and general manager of the road. The directors are George Coppell, Richard T. Wilson, John L. Welsh, Charles C. Beaman, William Mertens, Edward T. Jeffery, Edward O. Walcott, Arthur Coppell and J. Edward Simmons.

The roads of the Harriman syndicate are the Illinois Central, Chicago & Alton, St. Louis & San Francisco, Chicago & Eastern Illinois and the Kansas City Southern.

The Illinois Central is one of America's great railroads. It extends from Chicago to New Orleans, and touches Louisville, St. Louis, Omaha, Sioux Falls, Lyle, Minn., and Madison, Wis. It traverses the State of Illinois almost squarely in the center from end to end of the state, and hence its name. The Illinois Central is 3678.74 miles long. Its construction began in the early 50s under the presidency of Col. Mason, an early railroad promoter. The company was given a right of way through the entire central length of the State of Illinois upon the condition that 7 per cent of the road's gross earnings in the state be placed in the Illinois state treasury every year. Up to June, 1899, the road had been making these payments 44 years, and had paid the state $17,765,202.29. But it pays Illinois no taxes. In this same period the stockholders of the Illinois Central received in cash dividends the sum of $95,166,861.59. When the civil war broke out the Illinois Central Railroad had in its engineering department four employes who were to win distinction as military commanders. They were Gen. George B. McClelland, Gen. A. E. Burnside, Gen. John B. Turchin and Gen. Banks, the last named with the Confederacy. The Illinois Central became a Harriman syndicate property two years ago, when this syndicate was organized. For the year ending June 30, 1900, its total net income was $12,184,382; total payments, $12,143,782; surplus, $40,600. Its earnings per mile the year it passed into the possession of the syndicate were $7659.01. Stuyvesant Fish is president, John C. Welling vice-president, J. T. Harahan second vice-president. The directors are the governor of Illinois, B. F. Ayer, Walther Luttgen, John W. Auchincloss, John W. Doane, Charles M. Beach, J. D. W. Cutting, Stuyvesant Fish, Edward H. Harriman and John Jacob Astor.

The Chicago & Alton Railroad is one of the best-known short railroads in the United States. It reaches from Chicago to St. Louis and Kansas City. It is 900.97 miles long. Its construction began in the early '50s. It was first built from Chicago to Alton. It passed into a receivership in its infancy, and, in 1860, emerged from the receivership of James Robb. In this reorganization T. B. Blackstone became president of the road, and he remained in this office until the road was sold to the Harriman interests two years ago. The new owners have spent a great deal of money upon the roadbed and rolling stock of the Chicago & Alton, placing upon it some of the finest trains in the world. Its total net income in 1899 was $3,289,701; total payments, $2,972,245; surplus, $287,456. The year it was sold it earned $7,156,961.22 per mile. S. M. Felton is president and W. D. Cornish vice-president. The directors are George J. Gould, Rudolph Brand, C. H. Chappell, S. M. Felton, John J. Mitchell, Norman B. Ream, Bertram M. Winston, John W. Doane, E. H. Harriman, James Stillman, Mortimer E. Schiff.

The Chicago & Eastern Illinois Railroad runs from Chicago to Nashville, Tenn.; from Danville, Ill., to a connection with the Cotton Belt at Thebes, Ill., and from LaCrosse, Ind., to Evansville, Ind. It is one of the richest short railroads in the country, traversing much of the bituminous coal belt of Illinois and Indiana. It has been building since 1868, and is now 648.27 miles long. It has had several reorganizations, passing into the hands of the Harriman syndicate two years ago. For the year ending 30 June, 1900, its total net income was $2,300,159; total payments, $2,067,795; surplus, $232,424. Its earnings per mile in 1899 were $7067.36. H. H. Porter is chairman of the executive committee, and the directors are A. R. Flower, M. J. Carpenter, Henry Seibert and C. W. Hillard.

The Kansas City Southern Railroad extends, in a straight line, from Kansas City to Port Arthur, on the Gulf of Mexico. It is 887.5 miles long. It was originally known as the Kansas City, Pittsburg & Gulf Railroad, and was built in 1893 by A. E. Stilwell. It fell into the hands of a receiver, and, at its reorganization, became known as the Kansas City Southern. It became a Harriman syndicate property two years ago. Its surplus for the year ending June, 1900, was $849,179. Its earnings per mile in 1899 were $4277.83. Stuart C. Knott is president, and the directors are John W. Gates, John Lambert, William Edenborn, Max Pam, William F. Harrity, Julius S. Walsh, Alfred Clifford, James Hopkins, Stuart R. Knott, Isaac E. Ellwood.

WORK OF WOMEN'S CLUBS AT SPRINGFIELD, MO.

Leaders of the Numerous Organizations Who Have Great Influence On the Intellectual and Social Life of the Ozark City.

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MRS. VIRGINIA HOLLAND, PRESIDENT OF THE FRIENDS IN COUNCIL.

MRS. WADE BURDEN, SECRETARY OF THE MUSICAL CLUB.

MRS W. C. CALLAND, OF THE THIRTY TYRANTS CLUB.

MRS. S. P. BRADLEY, PRESIDENT OF THE SOROSIS LITERARY CLUB.

MRS. ELBA H. BOUSLOG, DIRECTOR IN MISSOURI FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS AND CHAIRMAN OF LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE.

MRS. J. B. JEWELL, OF THE BUSY WOMAN'S IDLE HOUR CLUB.

MRS. ROSA W. ATWOOD, VICE PRESIDENT OF THE LADIES SATURDAY CLUB

MRS. HARRIET E. SHEPARD, MEMBER OF THE EDUCATIONAL COMMITTEE STATE FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., March 23.

Special Correspondence of the Sunday Post-Dispatch.

FEW towns in Missouri have a greater number of women's clubs than Springfield. It is the home of the Ladies' Saturday Club, the oldest literary club in the state, which celebrated its twenty-second anniversary Feb. 22, and of the Household Economics Club, the Springfield Musical Club, the Friends in Council Literary Club, the Mothers' Club, the Clio Chautauqua Club, the Thirty Tyrants and the Springfield Sorosis Club, the Busy Woman's Idle Hour Club.

The Ladies' Saturday Club is a member of both the state and general federation of women's clubs. The official colors are green and lavender and the club flower is the carnation. The motto is, "Do the duty that nearest lies." The club was organized in 1879, chartered in 1894 and federated in 1896. Mrs. Homer T. Fuller is the president.

The Household Economics Club is conducting sewing and cooking classes for young children. It maintains a restroom for the convenience of farmers' wives coming to town. It has rooms fitted up for cooking and demonstrating all of its work. The club motto is, "Nil Desperandum." The club colors are red and green. The club flower is the rose. The annual meeting is held the first Tuesday in January, and the young ladies' anniversary Feb. 22. Club picnic and children's day is June 26. Contests and reunions are held in September. The anniversary will be held in October. Retrospection day comes Dec. 26.

The Springfield Musical Club, formerly the Derthick Club, was organized in 1896 and is composed of a membership of the best artists of the musical profession in town. Mrs. A. P. Hall, the president, has long been identified with the progressive work of the club. Mrs. Wade Burden, the secretary, celebrated her forty-fifth year of musical activity by bringing here Mme. Emma Nevada, through private management. Other artists whose appearance here were due to the efforts of the club, are: Mme. Rive King, Baxter Perry, pianist; Earl Drake and Max Bendix & Co. The club color is red. The club flower is the rose. The object of the club is to cultivate an intelligent appreciation of music in its artistic and historical development.

The Friends in Council Literary Club was organized in 1883, incorporated 1887 and federated 1892. It is a member of both the general and state federations. Thoroughness is one of its leading characteristics. The study for the first of the year's study was Browning's "The Ring and the Book," and the latter part is being devoted to Shakspeare's "King John." Interesting current events receive attention each week and at intervals a parliamentary drill is conducted by a leader. The club meets every Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Virginia Holland, the president, who, year after year, succeeds herself. The object of the club is purely literary. The club color is blue; the club flower carnation.

Heretofore the Mothers' Club has considered the relations of parents and children and the care and training of the children in the home. Believing that the true aim of training a child is to develop character and that parent and teacher are closely allied in this work, during the past year an effort was made to establish closer relations between the homes and the schools. Meetings were held in several of the ward schools, and these were attended by the teachers and patrons of those schools. The following are some of the subjects presented: "Manual Training," "Home Occupations for Little Children," "The Ideal Child" and "The Ideal Mother."

The Clio Chautauqua Club was organized in 1889 with seven charter members. The general exercises are mostly confined to the program outlined in the Chautauqua Magazine, interspersed with topics of special interest. The four years' course is complete in itself. The first year comprises English history, literature, art and the nineteenth century history of geology. Second year, American history, literature and institutions, beginning of civilization and psychology. Third year, French history and astronomy, Oriental and Greek civilization. Fourth year, German and medieval history, social science, Roman life and art. The club motto is "More Light."

The Thirty Tyrants is an unique and delightful club and has the feature of being the only literary club in the city which embraces both ladies and gentlemen. It had its origin in the desire of some ladies to belong to a club where their husbands could be with them and share their labors and recreations. It was decided to have no constitution, bylaws, programs or anything to make the club a burden. Each member has a paper, subject chosen by writer, once a year, but notice of subjects are given long enough before, so that everyone can be prepared for the discussion which follows each paper. No more than two papers are allowed in one evening. The club meets at the home of members, who issue the only notice of the meeting.

The Springfield Sorosis Club was organized in 1896. It is somewhat different from other literary clubs in the city, as it embraces several different departments. Each department has its own organization, with a chairman and secretary, and meets once in two weeks. The club, as a whole, meets once a month, and has programs varied to suit the occasion. It embraces in its several lines of work both ancient and modern literature, poetry and prose. Under the regime of Mrs. S. P. Bradley, the president, the club has been most successful.

The Busy Woman's Idle Hour Club, of which Mrs. James Abbott is president, is one of the most delightful clubs in the city and is noted not only for the social features of its meetings, but for its high-class entertainments, the proceeds of which go towards charitable work. It has always been the aim of the club to aid the poor and deserving and the dues are used for this purpose.

The educational committee of the state federation is the medium through which an organized attempt is being made to increase the interests of the parents of the state in the educational system. It endeavors to bring parents and teachers together on a basis of common interest, and its members hope to work with school boards and directors for more intelligent co-operation in the development of the physical, intellectual and moral life of the children of the state. It seeks to help the country schools by rousing the interest of parents and teachers in those things which tend to create a more symmetrical life for the child. The committee thoroughly believes in the introduction of manual training and domestic science in the schools wherever possible, regarding these branches most useful, not only for the development of the body and mind, but in creating a wholesome respect for labor, that shall form a proper balance in the pupil's estimate of the world's work and of the individual's relation to it.

ADVICE ON ETIQUETTE

Being Answers by the Sunday Post-Dispatch Experts to Inquiries From Readers

BY MARGARET RATHBONE KENT.

Color of the Bride's Dress.

WILL you kindly inform me what would be the correct color of dress, hat and gloves for a bride who is to be married in her traveling suit? The wedding to take place in May. Respectfully. A. L. E.

Gray, tan color or one of the new dull blues would be appropriate for the traveling dress. The bride should wear white gloves and a hat to correspond with her gown or one which contrasts prettily with it. The dress should be stylish and becoming, but not showy.

When to Send Gifts.

The occasion being a wedding anniversary, is the gift to be sent before the date on which it occurs or taken when one goes, and, if the latter, to whom given? Would it be considered not the thing for a gentleman to go without light gloves? ANXIOUS.

Gifts may be sent before the day of the wedding anniversary, but a note should accompany such presents—formal or informal as the acquaintance warrants.

Gentlemen at present wear gloves to social functions. Pearl gray or white.

Mourning for a Young Girl.

How long should a young girl (17 years) go in mourning for a grandmother? Also, how soon may she wear bright colors? LILY OF THE VALLEY.

A girl of 17 wears mourning for her grandmother for one year; deep black, without crepe for six months, black and white for three months, black, gray and violet the last three months of the year.

Send or Leave Cards.

I have received announcements of a marriage. Have never met the bride nor her parents, from whom the announcement came. The bridegroom is a neighbor whom I have met occasionally. It was sent to my husband, myself and two young lady daughters. How shall I acknowledge it? ETIQUETTE.

It is obligatory to acknowledge all announcements of invitations to social functions. In the case in which you write you should send your own, your husband's and your daughters' cards to the bride and to her mother.

It would be in better taste to call personally if you can do so.

Several Points Made Clear.

1. Should I when walking with a young man remove my hat upon meeting a young lady whom he knows, but with whom I am not acquainted?
2. Should I, being still unacquainted with the young lady, remove my hat when walking alone upon meeting her?
3. On being introduced to a young lady should I say, "I am very much pleased to meet you," and offer my hand first, or should she offer her hand first?
4. If, when walking with a young man, we should meet some young lady that he wanted to speak to (but whom I did not know), should I walk on out of hearing and wait for him, and would it be improper to turn my head?
5. Will you please tell me what a "stag" is? I received an invitation to one. Also what should I wear. 17 YEARS OLD.

You should remove your hat when walking with another man who meets a lady of his acquaintance. You should not raise your hat when you meet the same person alone afterward unless you have been presented.

Yes, it is proper to say some pleasant words, as "I am pleased to meet you," or some other equally conventional phrase.

The gentleman should always wait for the lady to offer her hand. It would be in better form for you to walk on ahead, if, when you are with a young gentleman, he happens to meet some lady with whom you are not acquainted, and wishes to speak with her, although it is not considered well bred for men and women to stop in these circumstances for a chat on the street.

A party composed only of men is sometimes called a "stag party."

An Education by All Means.

I am a young girl of 18, and I am in love with a young man 20 years old.

My family at one time were in very fine circumstances, but have lost a great deal. They do not want me to marry unless I can better my present circumstances.

This young man's position is an extremely poor one (driving), and as his education does not amount to much, he studies with me every other night. My mother cares a great deal for him, and wants us to work our brains together until he can procure a better position. We are willing to wait five years if necessary, as I am in delicate health, and if we married in his present condition would put him as well as myself in misery. At his age what business can be follow that he can study in the evening without cost? I am willing to help him, and he is willing to be helped, but am at a loss to know what track to put him on. Do you think it a good idea for him to save and invest $300, and if so, in what? F. B.

The young man can go to a night school. That would be the best plan if he wishes to acquire an education. I am not competent to advise as to his choice of a profession or business. That would depend very much on the young man himself and his tastes. It is certainly a good idea for him to save his money, but I should say he would better put it in the savings bank than invest it in any enterprise excepting a safe, reliable, well-established business.

It would be much wiser for you not to marry while you are in delicate health.

Does Not Like Diamonds.

What kind of stones are considered good form for an engagement ring? I do not fancy diamonds. Are opals used? I like them, but have always heard that they will bring the owner misfortune. Is there any truth in this old tradition? ANXIOUS J.

Diamonds are used almost exclusively in engagement rings, but there is no arbitrary rule in the matter. If you prefer another stone I should select one.

There is a superstition concerning opals which, personally, I do not share, that they are the stone of misfortune. There is no reason why you should not select one or a ruby, sapphire or any other you choose. It is a matter of personal taste.

Once More the Best Man.

Kindly let me know what are the duties of the best man, maid of honor and ushers at a wedding? Who must conduct the rehearsal? Has the bride a right to request the bridemaids to wear any particular color? CONSTANT READER.

The best man's duty is to relieve the bridegroom of all care concerning the marriage ceremony proper and the reception, and to make arrangements for the tickets, carriage, etc., to convey the bridal couple to the cars or boat, if they are going away.

The best man also sees that the church is secured, arranges with the minister, pays the fee, takes charge of the rehearsals, sees that the ushers are on time, and that they are dressed properly and with regard to uniformity.

On the day of the wedding the best man calls for the groom, takes him to the church, attends to all the details, sees that the bridegroom's hat and top coat are in the vestibule so that he will find them without delay when the bridal procession returns from the altar.

The best man assists at the reception, introduces strangers to the bridal party, makes himself useful at the supper and generally helping to make things go off well and successfully.

The maid of honor waits personally upon the bride, holds the bride's flowers at the altar, assists her with her glove when the ring is placed upon her finger, raises her veil after the ceremony.

The ushers receive their instructions from the best man. It is the bride's privilege to select the color she wishes her bridemaids to wear. It is her prerogative to say what the materials of the bridemaids' gowns shall be of and the style of hats they shall wear.

A Few Pleasant Words.

If I were to send a birthday gift to a young lady friend by messenger would it be necessary to add more on the card than my name, which is already printed on it? If so, what would it be? F. P. M.

It would not be absolutely necessary, but it would be in better taste to add a few words of congratulation and wishes for many happy returns.

Let the Gentleman Ask First.

I found a very good friend last summer in a young man with whom I correspond. I hold him in high esteem and value his good opinion. We will not meet in years to come, perhaps never again in this world. For that reason I would like to have his photograph. Would I be overstepping the rules of good form in requesting it of him? I do not wish to make a blunder or seem unladylike, that is why I came to you. A YOUNG LADY.

If I were in your place I would wait until your friend asks for your picture, as he undoubtedly will, then it will be quite proper that you should say to him you will be pleased to have his portrait also.

It is always much better to let the gentleman make the advances.

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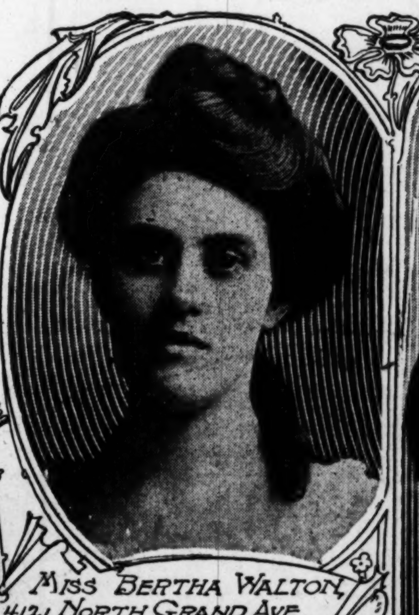
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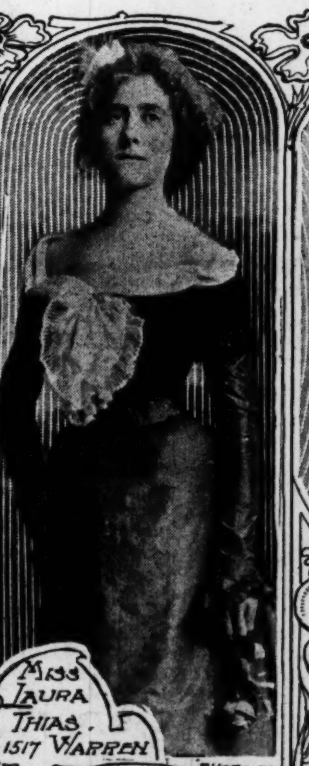
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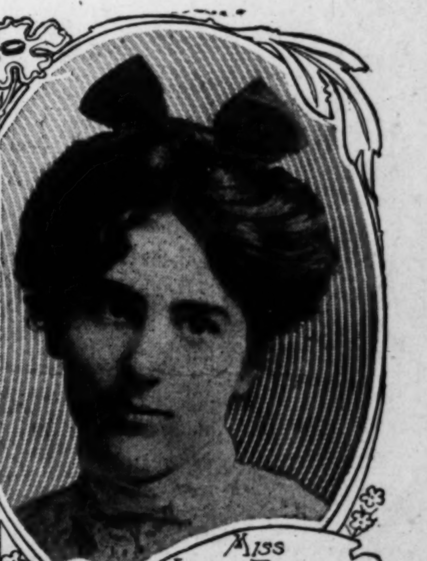
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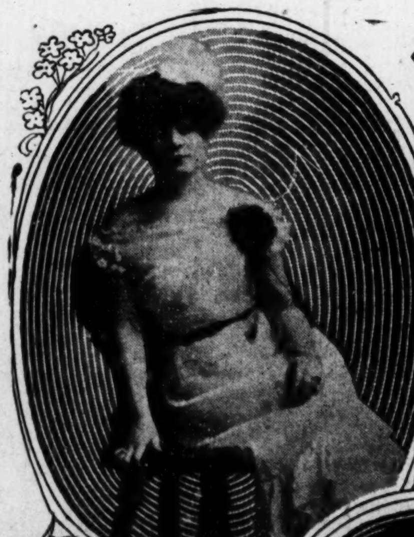
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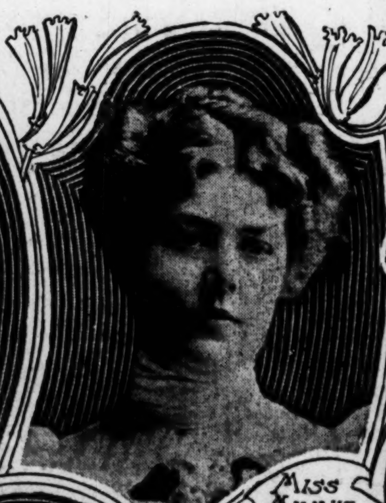
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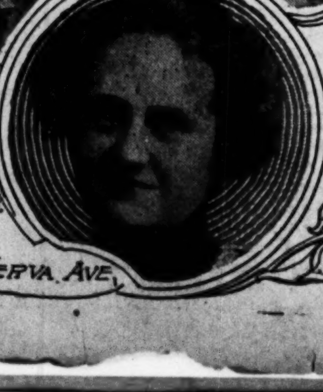
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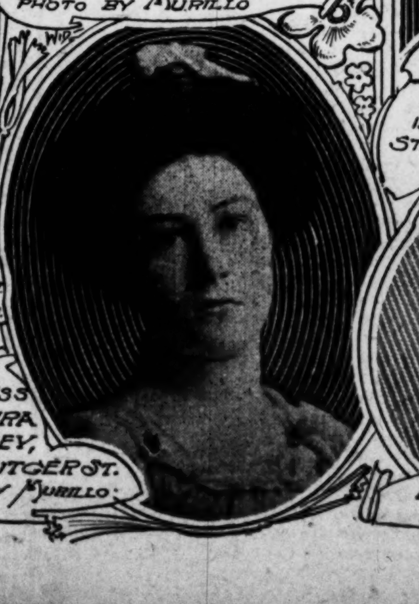
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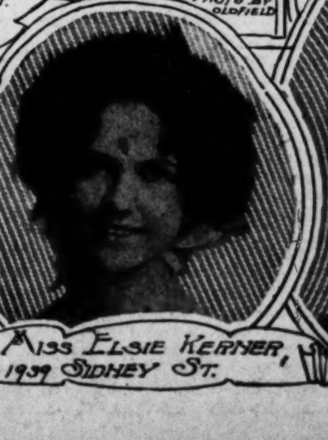
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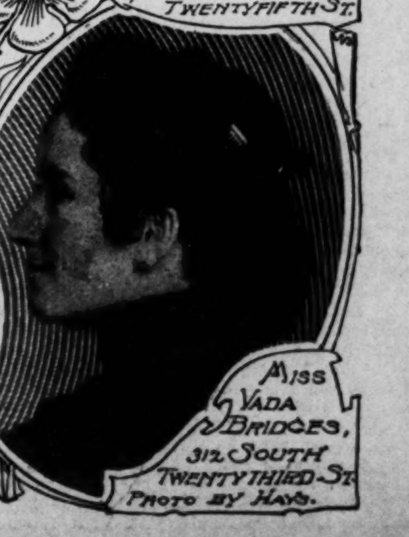
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MODERN FABLES CONTRIBUTED TO THE SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH BY GEORGE ADE.

THE SECOND STORY WORKER AND THE ORGANIZER.

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ONE Night a Schemer who was learning how to get the Coin without investing anything on his own Hook, was awakened by a Noise in his Bed-Chamber. He peeked out over the Coverlet and saw a Professional Burglar trying in vain to find something valuable.

"You are on a cold Lay," said the recumbent Man to the Robber. "The Assessor and Sheriff have been here and failed to uncover any Assets, so what Chance have you got? There must be something wrong with your System of House-Breaking or else you would be following a stronger Lead than this. Also, permit me to say that you must be shy on Professional Courtesy or you would not try to clean out a Brother who has made a Living by Sharp Practices ever since he was seventeen years old."

"Alas, the Competition is so keen and the Swag so uncertain, we have to tackle any Job that offers itself," said the Other.

"I see," said the Schemer, sitting up on the Husks. "The Business is being put on the Bum by Overproduction and too many Operating Expenses. What you want is to get some Smooth Citizen of about my Build to come along and merge all the Burglarious Enterprises into one big Syndicate, with a New Jersey Charter. We could give it a harmless and misleading Name, such as the American House Cleaning Company. We can pull every one into the Combine. If obscure, outside Burglars refuse to put their Jimmies and Jacks into the Pool, we will send Agents into their respective Territories to steal up everything before they can get at it, thus teaching them the Beauties of Co-operation. We will compel them to eat Humble Pie and get into the Band Wagon on our Terms."

"It looks Good," said the Burglar, "and I suppose it will be sufficiently Illegal to make it enjoyable."

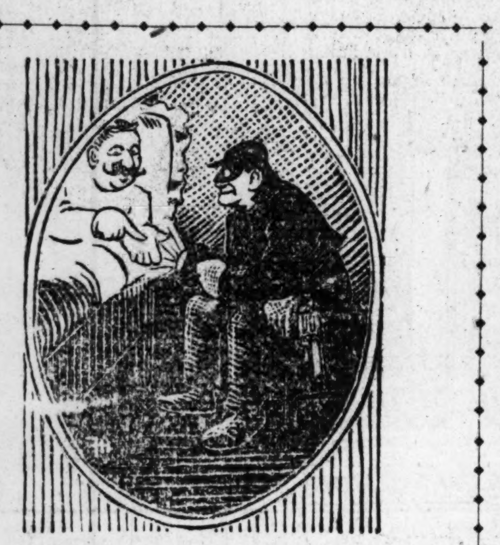
"The Legality of the Deal cuts no Figure so long as we are not Landed," said the Organizer. "There will be a Crackerjack Lawyer, employed by the Year, whose one Duty it will be to keep the Directors out of Jail. If there is any Hue and Cry against the Monopoly, we can get some one with white Side-Whiskers to be Interviewed, and he will explain why it will be better for the People to have their Houses entered by the Representatives of a large and carefully managed Corporation."

"This will certainly be Lavender for those who get in on the Ground Floor," said the Burglar. "But why are you, without any Private Interest as a Porch-Climber or any Experience in picking Locks, so eager to promote this Scheme?"

"It will be a Stock Company, and for my Services in getting you together in this benevolent Combination I will grab off two-thirds of the Shares," replied the Organizer. "I am learning that the High Guy these days is not the Producer. The real Patsy is the one who calls for a Jack Pot and then takes charge of the Kitty. You go out and tell all your Competitors to get into Line. I need the Stuff."

And another Industrial Alliance was kept out of the Newspapers.

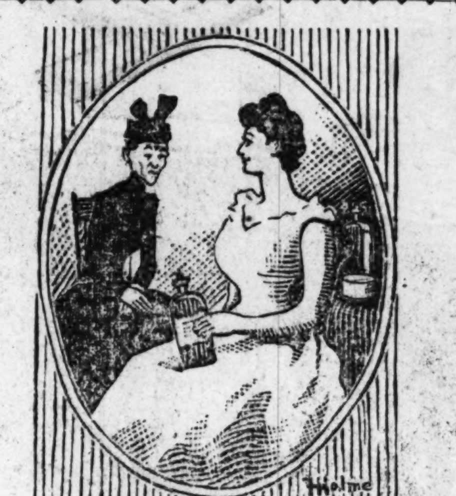
MORAL: Everything is Velvet to those who take no Chances.



"It Looks sufficiently illegal to be enjoyable," said the Burglar."

WOMAN'S TRUE FRIEND AND THE HOPEFUL ANTIQUE.

ONE day a Beauty Doctor sat in her Pink Reception Room hoping that she resembled her Lithographs. Her Income was a Dollar every time she took a Full Breath. She got it by selling Freckle Food and a Preparation for getting rid of Moles, called Moline. Her hot Specialty was to Calcimine the Has Beens and feed them a little Ginger and send them into the Arena looking like Vassar Girls unless the Rain happened to wash it off. It did not take her long to put an Extension on an Eye-Brow, and she could provide a Blush for those who had been going to Card Parties so long that they had forgotten how to Blush. When she got after a Wild Hair the Hair simply threw up both Hands and quit. In a little Folder entitled "How to Fool Everybody except those who live in the Same House," she had proved that there was no Reason why a Girl of 60 should not look 19 if she put on enough Shellac and kept out of the Light.



"The Nobody's Darling that Wafted in this Day established the Record."

The Beauty Doctor had seen many a Derelict float in for a new Coat of Armor Plate; but the Nobody's Darling that wafted in this Day established a Record. She was something like Poultry. That is, if she carried any Adipose, it did not show in her Face or Feet. And she wouldn't have torn under the Wing. She had a Bird's-Eye Maple Complexion and wore one of these Gowns that you get by measuring yourself with a String and sending Two Dollars. She had about as much Contour as the Letter I. Without saying anything in Disparagement of her Private Character or denying that she may have been kind to her Relations, it may be added that she resembled a Daily Hint from the Short Timber.

"I saw your card in the Bee-Keepers' Bazaar and I have decided to back in for a few Repairs," said the Visitor. "If you can build me out with a Set of Curves the same as I see in the Cigarette Pictures and Cause my Hair to Brush out and hang to the Belt Line the same as it used to when I was Goddess of Liberty on a Hay-Wagon in the first Grant Campaign, and give me some Perfumed Dope that will resore a Peaches and Cream Complexion on or before May 1st, I will do the Generous Thing by you and pay in up to Seven Dollars."

The Beauty Doctor seldom took the Count, but this was one of the Times. "My Private Secretary will take charge of your Case," she said faintly, and then she went into another Apartment and lay down.

The Private Secretary was the last Resort. He had no Conscience. For two seasons he had been a Cloak Salesman. "Surely you have not come here for Treatment,' he said, smiling at the Caller. "You have the Shape that they are raving about in Paree this Spring, and we could not improve your general Tint no matter how many Coats we used. The quiet and unobtrusive Elegance of your Get-Up, combined with what Nature has so generously parceled out to you, makes it unnecessary to attempt any Alterations. All that you need to do is to retain intact your present Category of Superlative Charms. This you can manage by a careful Perusal of our Book: 'How to stay Pretty.' It comes to Ten Bucks."

So the moulting Hawk had the Volume wrapped up and went away tickled, for she knew that she was a chippery Bird of Paradise.

MORAL: The only Ones who need Patching are those who Think they need it.

THE DAY'S WORK AND THE MORNING AFTER.

ONE morning a Rounder sat on the Edge of his Bed and wondered if there was Anything in it. His Tongue felt like a Rug. He was afraid to work his Face for fear it would Crack.

He took a Cold Plunge, rubbed some Pepper Sauce in his Hair, drank a Quart of Hot Water, gargled a Patent Preparation warranted to kill the Maroon Taste, and by that Time he was able to look at his Watch and realize that nobody in the whole world truly Loved him. He did not seem to have any nippy Craving for Breakfast, so he drank two large ruby-red Cocktails, smelling life Furniture Polish, just as an Appetizer. After he got them placed he sat at the Window for a while, watching the Landscape straighten itself out. He remembered that he had two or three Friends, after all, so he decided to give this Earth another Trial. Accordingly he ordered up as many Ham and Eggs as could be forced on one Platter and two Stacks of Buckwheat Cakes, and he kept on until he had extinguished the Cocktails.

At an early Age the Rounder had read in McGizzick's Physiology that the Capacity of the Human Stomach is Three Pints. His Object in Life was to prove that McGizzick was away Off and must have got hold of a Youth's Size.

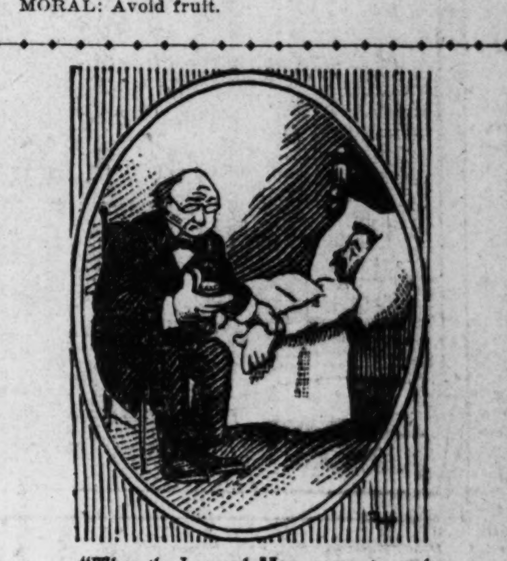
After the Rounder had smothered the Cocktails under 80 Cents' worth of Plain Food, he started for his Office, where he met a Drummer, who took him out to talk Business. They opened two or three Cold Bots and ate a few hillocks of Cottage Cheese, Souse, Dill Pickles, Radishes, Blutwurst and Rye Bread with Caraway in it, because they were Free. Then the rounder excused himself because he had a Date for Luncheon. This light Repast consisted of Blue Points, Gumbo Soup, Fried Spring Chicken, Baked Potatoes, Cheese and other Delicatessen, floated to its Destination in a mixture of Ale and Stout, sometimes known as Liquid Buckshot. In the Afternoon our Hero went to his Club and played Pool, and whoever had it put on him had to buy what made Milwaukee famous for the Others. Along in the Middle of the Afternoon the McGizzick Theory did not have a Leg to stand on.

At Dinner Time he keyed up on Aqua Fortis and Bitters, which enabled him to take Nine Courses, with Red, White and Blue Irrigators to keep him Encouraged, and then four California Grapes for Desert. By this Time, McGizzick, Author of the School of Physiology, was a Liar by the Watch.

In the Evening the Rounder went to a Show. Between Acts he sauntered out with a few Western Gentlemen and seeped up frequent High Balls, accompanied by a little Snack of Oyster Crackers, the Mummified Herring known as the Blind Robin, Water Cress and Anchovies. After the Show they dropped in for their Broiled Lobster, Combination Salad, Welsh Rabbit and Nineteen Rounds of something to take. At a late Hour the Man who had demonstrated that McGizzick was an Ignoramus, went to his Brass Bedstead and lapsed into a state of Coma.

Next morning his Room was twisted. Some one had put a Bed of Live Coals under the Sheet. He felt as if he had swallowed a Steam Radiator and some one had gone down to repair it, and he had a case of Bust-Head and a dry crackly Thirst. He sent for a Physician, and when the Learned Man came to make his Diagnosis the Rounder said: "Doc, it's my own Fault. I ate some Grapes last Night."

MORAL: Avoid fruit.



"When the Learned Man came to make the Diagnosis"—

M'KINLEY INAUGURATION PAVILION FOR ST. LOUIS.

THE pavilion in which William McKinley was inaugurated President of the United States for the second time, March 4, 1901, now belongs to Dr. Richard Bartholdt of 3319 South Ninth street, St. Louis, member of Congress from the Tenth Missouri district.

He will present it to St. Louis.

Standing in this same pavilion, President McKinley, within a few weeks, may dedicate the site of the St. Louis World's Fair of 1903.

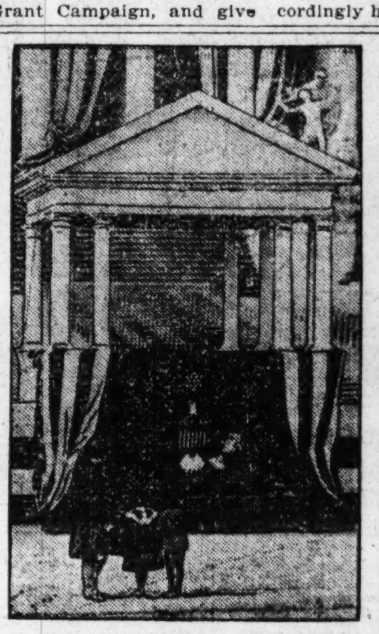
Concerning his possession of this pavilion and his plans concerning it Dr. Bartholdt said to the Sunday Post-Dispatch:

By RICHARD BARTHOLDT.

IT was while present at the ceremonies attending the inauguration of President McKinley that the idea of securing the pavilion seized me. I saw those thousands of upturned faces, and those thousands of eyes, all centered on this little building. I thought of the millions of people who would like to see the structure and I decided to try to obtain possession of it, that it might be placed on exhibition in my own city during the World's Fair.

I knew that I must work quickly or Buffalo with her Exposition might beat us out. The day after the inauguration, while the building was yet standing in front of the capitol, I went to Architect Elliott Woods, who had charge of all of the buildings. I told him what I wanted. I succeeded and now the Buffalo people are sorry that I seized upon a valuable idea for our Fair.

Mr. Woods told me that the buildings were all put up by contract, and that it was a part of the contract that the buildings be removed after the inauguration. The material all belonged to the contractors who erected the buildings. However, if I wanted to procure this particular structure he would buy the material from the contractors and make me a present of it.



The pavilion in front of the Capitol.

He bought it and gave me the building with the provision that I take it down and ship it at my own expense. I gladly assumed this obligation. The building was removed to another part of the capitol grounds, where it now stands. I will have the building taken down very carefully. I will have all of the pieces numbered and when it reaches St. Louis I will have it put together exactly as it was in Washington when Chief Justice Fuller administered the oath that made Mr. McKinley President for the second time.

The building is not large, being only about 16 feet square. The pavilion is 10 feet high at the eaves and as the roof is quarter pitch the top is not more than 18 feet high. The building material is all of first-class seasoned pine, and has been painted white. It is open on all sides and the roof is upheld by doric columns.

I am now negotiating with the railroad company to see if I can get the building here without the payment of freight charges. When it comes I will make arrangements to have it erected in one of the parks, perhaps Lafayette Park, and permit it to remain there until it is removed to the World's Fair Grounds.

SHORT SERMONS FOR EASTER BY ST. LOUIS MINISTERS

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The body of armed soldiers placed on guard heard the angel's announcement, "He is risen!" And we can well imagine them crowding around the tomb to see for themselves. His first visit was to his blessed mothers and the apostles. During this visit a matter took place that we could scarcely expect. Well, indeed, might he have said on that occasion "now I have done my work. On Friday I hung between heaven and earth as a victim of propitiation between God and man. I shed the last drop of my blood to make it possible for man to enter the kingdom of heaven. Therefore could I not justly say today if any one should ever again offend my eternal father and me, we will condemn him to eternal torments?" But the mercy of our Savior rose with him from the grave, and instead of making such a threat he looked at his apostle and uttered words of mercy never before or since spoken, "Receive ye the Holy Ghost: whose sins you shall forgive they are forgiven; whose sins you shall retain they are retained!" Behold the institution of that sacrament of mercy—the sacrament of penance, and this on the third day after his cruel death. When we ponder over this can we refrain from crying out with the psalmist, "Mercies of the Lord we shall sing forever!"

SPIRIT OF EASTER.

By REV. EDWARD O. KENNEDY, C. S. S. R., Rector of St. Alphonsus (Rock) Church, Grand and Cook avenues.

EASTER to the faithful Christian is the Feast of Hope. "He is risen; He is not here!" cries the church, in the words of the angel of the tomb, and the tone of triumph in her accents tells of the depth of her joy. The happy alleluia resounding again and again through her service thrills the soul with a genuine realization of the better things which are to "come," and which his plentiful redemption has provided for us so bountifully.

Christ is "our way and our life," and the heavenward journey of each of his faithful ones is modeled on the way of the cross. A lowly birth, an humble life; many sorrows and joys but few, then the awful events of holy week. But in the dark, dismal grave the scene changes. Radiant with beauty and glory, his message to us seems to be "look up, and lift up your heads," what you behold realized in me will be yours if only you "walk worthy of your calling." A short earthly life, checkered, perhaps, with many miseries, but in death you gain the victory. What a blessed, consoling hope."

The alleluia is the song of heaven. We hardly have a right to sing it whilst on earth, except to remind us that we are heirs of Christ's eternity, and to strengthen our hope looking up to the heavenly city of which we are now preparing our citizenship. There our home is, and the alleluia is the home, sweet home of that glorious family of which the risen Saviour is king.

The spirit of Easter is, therefore, a spirit of joy in the triumph of Jesus Christ; of thanksgiving for the inestimable benefits secured through the redemption which the resurrection guarantees, and, above all, of hope—a confident, permanent hope that looks undauntedly forward to the last great day when to every man there shall come an individpal resurrection, inevitable to all, and glorious to those who make it so.

EASTER THOUGHTS.

By REV. T. C. CARLETON, pastor of Lafayette Park Baptist Church, Lafayette and Mississippi avenues.

THE birth, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ are pivotal points, epochs in Christianity. He must be born in the flesh or he could not die; he must die or we could not be saved; he must rise from the dead or we would have no surety of his divinity, and, therefore, of the efficacy of his vicarious death.

The resurrection is the completion of God's plan of redemption, the keystone of the arch of salvation. Christ lived a real life, died a real death, and his resurrection is the exact fulfillment of prophecy, the logical sequence of his life and the noblest fact of history.

Standing on the open, empty tomb of Christ, let us catch the resurrection vision and throw its radiance and hope over a dark world of sin and death. Let us echo the resurrection words: "All hail," "Peace be unto you." With resurrection life and spirit let us dry sorrows, tears, and light up the souls of men with faith and hope and joy.

BURSTING THE BARS

By REV. W. W. NEWELL, pastor Compton Hill Congregational Church, Lafayette and Compton Avenues.

EASTER speaks of the fulfillment of the irrepressible hope of the heart of every man. When the Indian strove for glory as the brave, it was to make sure his hope for a life to which he should rise after death. The Hindu, in his longing for a son to light the funeral fire, the Moslem on the field of battle with the courage of fate steeling him against danger and overwhelming odds, were spurred on by their confidence in the life, beyond which would follow these things.

If the Christian has an exalted idea of the future, if the life yonder is of surpassing glory beside the dreams of the world religious, it is because the Christian faith rests not on the philosophy of men who have thought deeply, but upon the character and teachings of one who has achieved the experience man longs for.

In the burial of the Christian the horse and dog did not share the master's tomb, nor did the eldest son, with glowing torch, kindle immortalizing flame beneath the father's bier. Into the grave there entered naught but the body of the earthly journey; the life swept on beyond our care. No lock in our service could hinder its flight. Away from the toil, the suffering, the sacrifice which no Christian life is without, the spirit has been committed into the hands of the Father as Christ committed his, and unless Christ failed in his vision of what the Father's purpose was for him, unless martyred Stephen failed to understand his vision, as he knelt amid the torture without the walls, death is but the bursting of the prison bars—the soul's away. Naught may check its passage—God alone its fit companion, for if the soul be Christian, it, too, has loved, sought the erring, has given its earthly life a sacrifice for the saving of others.

Death the goal? Not death, nor hell, nor earth, but if character abides there will still be need of place for service beyond the gates. Christ lives to serve—we may and shall, if Eastertide brings to us the pledge of that which is to be when this mortal shall have put on immortality.

A GLORIOUS VICTORY.

By REV. JOSEPHUS STEPHAN of the Mt. Auburn M. E. Church South, North Market street and Hodiamont avenue.

THE crowning thought of this Eastertide is that of glorious victory. In it we have the supreme fact—the climax of Christian evidence. Christ's resurrection is the miracle of miracles, towering above all else supernatural in his life of wondrous deeds. This once established, as it indisputably is, all else in our faith is easily accepted and wonderfully reinforced. Once remove this fact from Revelation and we have left but a broken and empty shell. Blot it from our creed and we are of all men most miserable. The only basis for the place of Christianity in the world and our personal faith is this Easter fact that Jesus Christ, the son of God, having tasted death for every man has for every man become the resurrection and the life.

This truth harmonizes with the intuitions of our inmost soul. We are all in love with life and death's keenest pang is the separation of these two companions of life, the soul and body. The cravings of our higher nature can never be satisfied without the hope of their reunion beyond the grave. The great complaint of the ancients was that while setting suns and stars rose again the buried body of their friends did not rise. But Christ has given us, by his resurrection, the pledge and promise that they shall.

If Easter means anything it means the personal triumph of the believer. "Thanks be unto God, which giveth us the victory, through our Lord Jesus Christ." It is the ground and inspiration of our victory over sin, for our Christ is a living Christ, who "ever maketh intercession for us," and who by his spirit, dwelleth in us. Victory in the midst of life's sad allotments, in which he keeps and delivers us. Victory in the anticipation of death, whether of ourselves or our loved ones. Victory as we recall today the lonely graves of the cemetery. "O Death, where is thy sting? O grave, where is thy victory?" What has a Christless religion or a skeptical creed to offer this Easter Sunday? Without its resurrection it is but the philosophy of despair. Though this ruthless enemy of death is permitted to do his deadly work for a time he has been conquered, and through his apparent destruction God works his greatest miracle of construction and glory. "For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so them also which sleep in Jesus will God bring with him * * * and so shall we ever be with the Lord."

"HE IS RISEN."

By REV. P. J. CARNEY of the Immaculate Conception Church, Jefferson avenue and Locust street.

EASTER DAY is one of joy. "It is the day which the Lord hath made; let us be glad and rejoice." On Easter morning we commemorate the completion of that joy and gladness which was announced by angels singing: "Gloria in excelsis Deo," at the cradle of the incarnate word. Christ rose from the dead as we predicted: "You shall destroy this temple, but in three days I will build it up!" Neither seal, nor grave, nor stone, nor lock could withstand him. By dying on Calvary he showed that he was man, by rising from his tomb we proved that he was God.

Christ's resurrection was not alone the proof of his divinity, the establishment of his truth, the conviction of his miracles, the foundation of his religion, but it was and is the sure pledge that we also shall rise again. No matter how long may be the draught of the pleasures of life, health and prosperity that one may drink, one bitter drop is found at the bottom of the cup. It is death. And if God did not tell us, how could we know but it was the end of all?

"But now Christ is risen and become the first fruits of them that sleep." Who says Christ is risen again? God. How do we hear that voice? Through his divine church which he has made the "pillar and ground of truth." This is her triumphant news—all who die shall rise again. Christ so promised. Bitter is death, but the hope of resurrection is its complete antidote.

At the tomb the angel said of the Savior: "He is risen, he is not here, so should every Christian say of himself on Easter morning." I am risen from the grave of sin; sin shall no more have dominion over me."

LIFE THROUGH DEATH.

By REV. GUSTAVUS TUCKERMAN of St. Stephen's Mission, Rutger and Sixth streets.

THE fundamental law of the universe is sacrifice, or life through death.

The Word of God, by whom the worlds were made, lived out our life in harmony with that law.

The seed of the woman sowed himself upon the soil of humanity, sure of death, but no less certain of a harvest ever increasing till the end of time.

To all who received him the Son of Man gave power to become sons of God, i. e., to share with him in his relation with the Father and so to know the meaning of life and death.

They knew him to be the resurrection and the life when they found him risen, alive and working in themselves and in each other.

The resurrection came to be regarded by them as not merely a future possibility, but an already existing fact. They knew that they had passed from death unto life because they loved as he had loved and like him were not afraid to die. They confessed: As he is so are we in this world.

Easter tells me that this confession may and therefore should be mine and yours who read.

MESSAGE OF THE DAY.

By REV. CHARLES STELZLE, Pastor of the Markham Memorial Mission, Menard and Julia Streets

SAD, indeed, that the world should have been denied the music that Beethoven heard in his dream, for he tells us that his most polished symphony is but an empty echo of that inspiring song.

But sadder still that the lives of a great multitude have been so stunted, their faculties so meanly developed, their aspirations so smothered, that life's sweet song has become a dirge and all their best hopes have been shattered.

Social reforms may be never so wisely planned and so faithfully executed, and yet they will not touch man's deeper needs, which are spiritual and eternal.

And some men are most miserable, because their hope is only in their life. Even their hope in Christ is only for this life. They know Christ simply as a teacher, an example, a reformer. His death and especially his resurrection, with their wonderful significance are nothing to them. But if Christ be not raised our faith in him is vain. Paul could do all things through a resurrected Christ only. But even with this wonderfully increased power Paul saw through a glass, darkly—he knew only in part. It was only as he would lay aside his poor, bruised body and put on immortality—Christianity's most glorious discovery—that he would see face to face, and know the possibilities of Christ's power.

And so the message of the resurrection is one of hope. Because Christ lives, we, too, shall live. And in that resurrection body we shall fulfill the sweetest and best of life's withheld completions. Yes, and not that alone, for "eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man the things which God hath prepared for them that love him." It is given to us to know of many of these things now and here, but not until our bodies have been redeemed as well as our souls, will we know the fullness of things as God has prepared them for us.

PROOF OF RESURRECTION.

By REV. STEPHAN P. HUEBER, C. M., of St. Vincent de Paul's Church, Park avenue and Ninth street.

JESUS CHRIST, whom every Christian believes to be the son of God, the second person of the most adorable Trinity, incarnate, declared oftentimes and in the presence of many witnesses before his death on the cross that he would rise again on the third day after his execution. That was prophecy. His resurrection is a historic fact, an event in human history, attested by more than 500 witnesses who frequently saw and conversed and ate with him during 43 days after he expired on the cross. Not alone do the sacred Scriptures record these events, but also the contemporary writers of profane history, as Josephus Tacitus and Pliny. They substantiate the account given by the three evangelists, Matthew, Mark and John, and by Paul and James in their letters to the various churches. We have also the solemn affirmation of St. Peter, the prince of the apostles, who declares that he had a personal interview with his Lord and Master, Jesus Christ, risen from the dead on the very day of his resurrection.

From the mass of evidence of Christ's resurrection on Easter morn I will quote St. Paul, who was without doubt the first man of his day and generation in intellect and virtue. He says in his letter to the Corinthians, chapter xv:

> For I delivered unto you first of all that which I also received, how that Christ died for our sins, according to the Scriptures, and that he was buried; and that he hath been raised on the third day, according to the Scriptures, and that he appeared to Peter; then to the twelve; then he appeared to more than 500 brethren at once, of whom the greater part remain until now. (Letter was written in 58 A. D., 25 years after the resurrection.) But some are fallen asleep; then he appeared to James; then to all the disciples and last of all as to one born out of time. He appeared to me also, for I am the least of the apostles, because I persecuted the church of God.

In fact, no single circumstance of the life of our blessed Lord is better substantiated than his glorious resurrection from the dead. This is as it should be, for this power over life and death which he manifests in this fact conclusively proves him to be what he claimed, vis.: The only begotten son of the Eternal Father made incarnate for the salvation of man. The true Christian rejoices at the triumph of Christ over death and sin and hell and celebrates this great anniversary with the deepest sentiments of gratitude and thankfulness. The church the faithful spouse of Christ employs every means to reach his people's hearts that they may have the sentiments most pleasing to our blessed Lord, when heaven and earth and all within combine to celebrate the Lord's resurrection. The most joyful jubilant music is heard from the choir and chancel, interspersed with frequent alleluias or shouts of joy. Her ministers are clothed with the golden robes of gladness and all the richness of nature is brought into the church—flowers, plants, perfume and incense, myriads of lights, also emblems of joy and faith are employed to lift up the minds and hearts of the faithful to contemplate their resurrected Lord. Let us all then on this blessed day "which the Lord hath made" make an act of faith in Christ Jesus, crucified, dead and buried, who rose again from the dead to die no more.

THE GREAT TRUTH.

By REV. S. C. PALMER, Lafayette Park Presbyterian Church, Albion place and Missouri avenue.

WHILE men may differ as to the propriety of observing any particular day, yet all right-thinking men must agree in regard to the blessedness of the great truth for which Easter stands. There is no disputing the fact that our present existence is in a world of death.

Our bodies begin to die as soon as we begin to live. Graves, graves, everywhere, tell us that somewhere there is a grave for each one of us. We need no book of revelation from God to convince us of this. But we do need some divine word to tell us that the dead shall live again. Human reason could never find out this truth. It has pleased Almighty God to reveal even this to men.

It has been well said "there is no fact of history better authenticated than the resurrection from the dead of Jesus Christ."

"If we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so them also that are fallen asleep in Jesus will God bring with Him."

When faith can lay firm grasp of this stupendous truth, this earthly life becomes worth living, and we can lie down and die peacefully, knowing that we shall live again.

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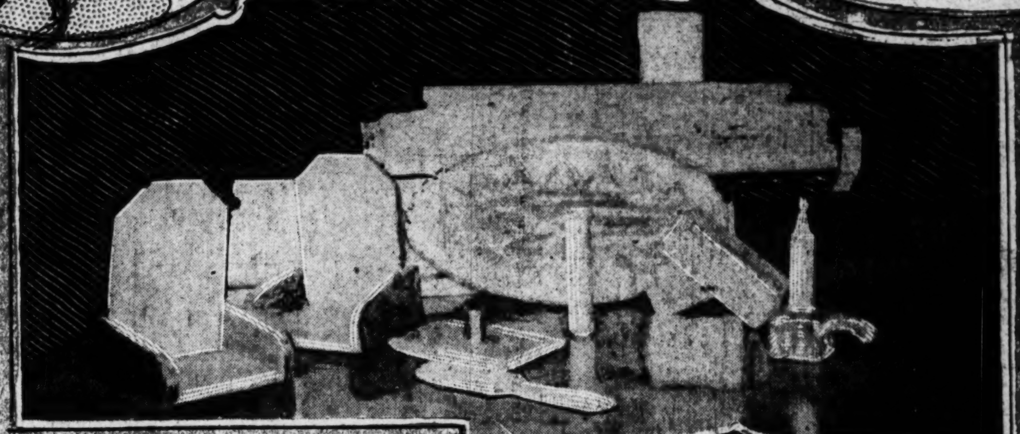

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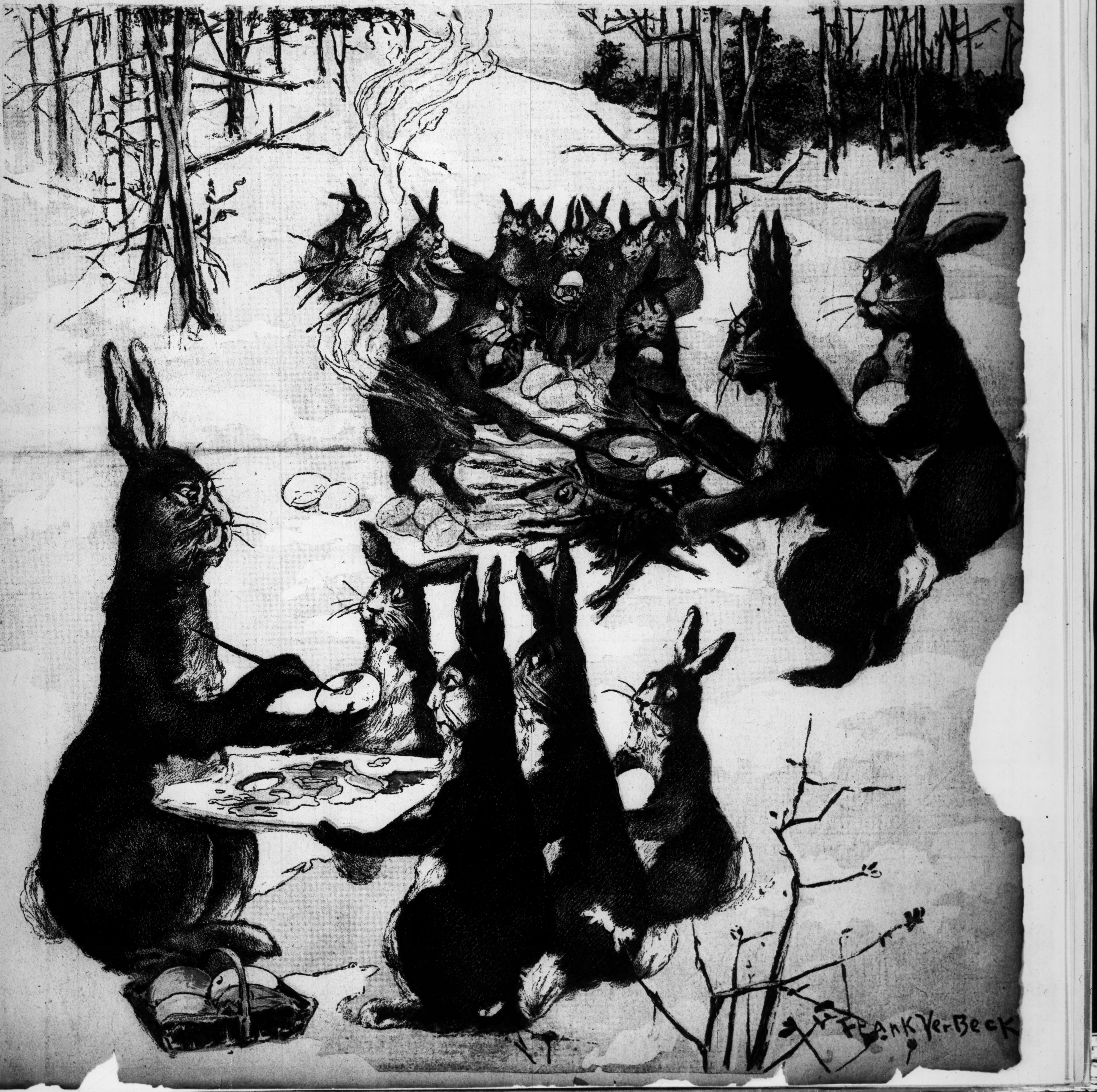

CK'S BAD BOY GROWN UP.

INTRODUCES THE OLD MAN TO SOME NEW YORK EASTER CUSTOMS.

BY GEORGE W. PECK,

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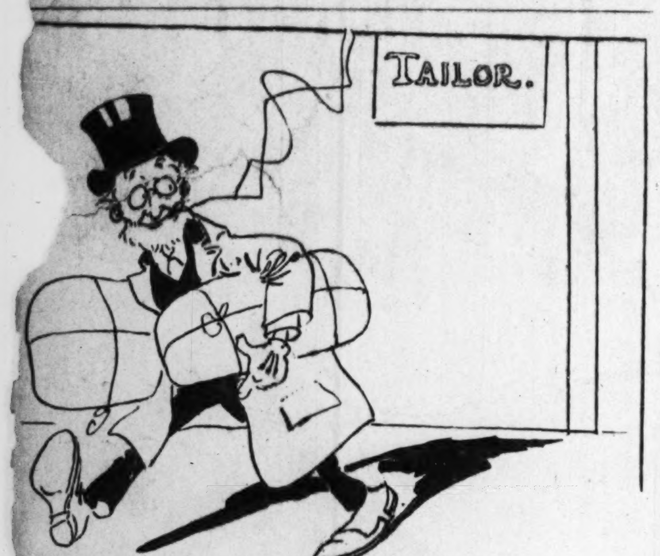
the Old Groceryman's first n New York and he was very xcited over the prospect; for d all his life of that display spring fashion and beauty the Fifth avenue Easter pa- he confided to the Bad Boy lesire to join in it.

Boy explained to the old the rainbow reports of the w which surges along Fifth Easter Sunday had been in ggerated, and that access to to all who cared to join it costumes were of sufficient beauty to warrant such an e went on to tell the Old n that the Fifth avenue pa- nly one of many delightful ein New Yorkers celebrated of Easter.

re some of the other ways?" Old Groceryman; and he if he were only seeking a kle every Easter custom in

plied the Bad Boy after thought, "of course, there's nored custom of catching Cathedral Easter morning. he Cathedral is one of the ew York, although we've there yet. It is down at the for weeks before Easter they ock it with rare exotic fish. morning all good people go hooks and lines and bait, and o see if he can't catch a fish y of his neighbors observing man who catches the first t aloft and shouts. Then he by all the rest and receives the Easter Piscatorial Medal. It's a lucky man, the man who wins that medal."



Getting Ready for the Easter Parade.

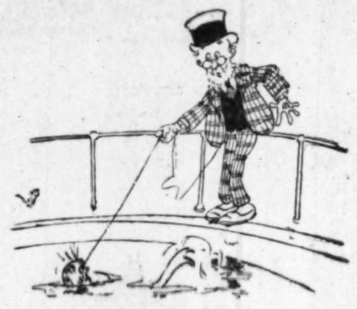
The Old Groceryman had listened with bated breath, and at once vowed he'd win that medal if Russell Sage himself were opposed against him as a competitor; but the Bad Boy assured him it was a social instead of a financial event and that his principal opponents were more likely to be such men as John Jacob Astor, Harry Lehr, George Gould and W. K. Vanderbilt, all of whom, the Bad Boy said, were noted fishermen in the social swim.

The Old Groceryman made several mysterious visits to tailors, costumers, &c., during the next few days, and at dawn on Easter morning appeared at the Bad Boy's bedside clad in a costume loud enough to have been heard clear across to Jersey City.

The suit itself was of pale gray with purple checks, while a vividly green shirt (emblematic of spring) and a Prussian blue tie afforded blasphemous contrasts to each other. The old man was shod in russet shoes cut low enough to exhibit his scarlet and yellow striped socks; and his weather-beaten tile was replaced by a white beaver encircled by a high crimson lake band. A pair of indigo gloves and a huge silver-headed cane completed the modest, tasteful costume. The old man had had his whiskers dyed in honor of the occasion, but the dye had somehow gone wrong, leaving the hirsute appendages a purplish green.

"Say!" exclaimed the Bad Boy in genuine admiration, "you're gotten up fit to kill. You'll sweep Fifth avenue in a canter," and he proceeded to don a quieter suit, meanwhile telling the old man that they must hurry up if they didn't want to miss the parade, as it began promptly at 7.30 A. M.

The Old Groceryman had not supposed "society folks" would be abroad at so early an hour, but the Bad Boy assured him to the contrary; and, hailing a cab, they set forth.



Catching-Fish.

The old man did not hear the Bad Boy's whispered command to the cabman to drive to Cherry street; so he was greatly surprised when they alighted in that classic vicinity.

The Old Groceryman stared about him in amazement and said this was like no part of Fifth avenue he had ever seen before; but the Bad Boy consoled him with the announcement that it was the section of the avenue where the Easter parade was thickest.

The street was crowded with men and women—mostly women—returning from early mass. They had had no breakfast and were in a hurry to get home to it, and were in no especially festive frame of mind.

"Hello!" whispered the Bad Boy excitedly, pointing to a low-browed longshoreman and his "skirt," "There go the Goulds; and see," indicating a youth with a bulldog face and Chimmie Fadden air, "there's young Cornelius Vanderbilt!"

"Gee! You don't say so!" gasped the Old Groceryman, "and not one of 'em with a costume that's a patch on this here one of mine."

And indeed the old man's dress was beginning to make him the cynosure of all eyes; and some remarks, which he took to be complimentary, began buzzing around his ears.

"Some one must have left the door open and the cat brought him in," suggested a damsel in a poster hat fastened together with mucilage.

"What's that, miss?" asked the Old Groceryman. "And while you're about it will you kindly tell me aren't you Lillian Russell, the lady whose picture I've seen so often on cigar boxes?"

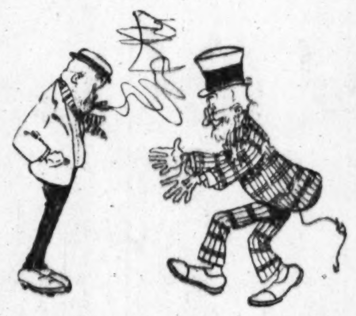
"Are youse tryin' to catch on with me rag?" queried a youth with a mixed ale aspect, who accompanied the girl.

"That's Mr. Astor," whispered the Bad Boy, and the Old Groceryman, rushing up to the youth shook him violently by both hands, congratulating him on the work done by his battery in the late war. The girl, seeing the Old Groceryman thus bearing down (with what seemed to her hostile intent) upon the man of her choice, set up a scream that echoed like a calliope; and, sailing into the fray, seized the old man by his dyed whiskers with both hands, twisting out a bunch of hair as big as a pompadour.

The street was in an uproar in a second; friends and partisans of either side joining in rapturously; while the tenants of the house before which the excitement occurred began merrily dropping flatirons on the heads of the combatants. The Old Groceryman in no wise understood what it was all about; but, imagining it a hectic feature of the parade, he ducked about, narrowly missing missiles and uppercuts, and, by a miracle, escaped harm, except that his new coat had a fissure down the back and his glorious white tile took on an air suggestive of the last hours of a misspent life. Suddenly a warning cry of "Here comes de wagon!" arose, and the street cleared as if by magic, leaving the Old Groceryman and the Bad Boy alone on the battle ground. The Bad Boy pulled his old friend into a side street just as the patrol wagon dashed up, and hailed their cab which had hovered in the offing during the fracas.

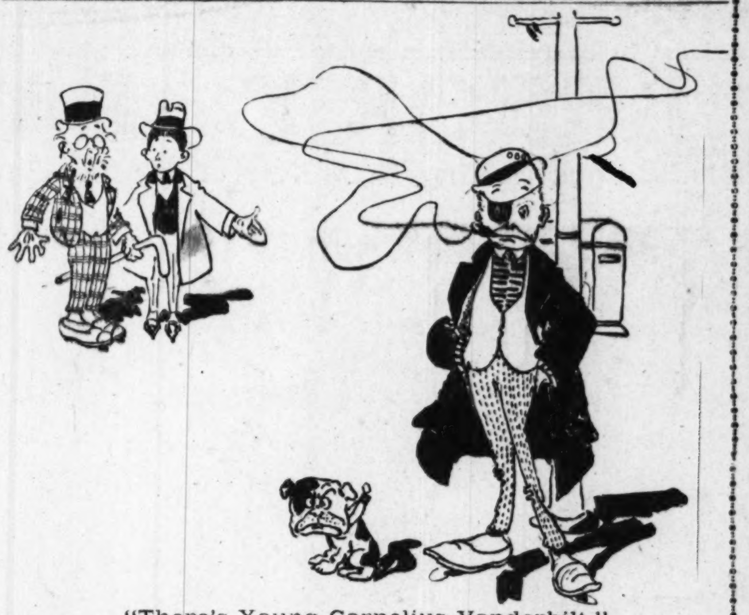
"To the Aquarium!" whispered the Bad Boy to the driver, then aloud: "Now we'll drop in at the Cathedral for the fishing contest, if you're quite sure you've seen all of the parade that you care to."

"Well, yes, I have," admitted the Old Groceryman. "It was a fine enough Easter parade, I guess, but these New York society folks are a wee mite too lurid and strenuous for me. Let's go on to the Cathedral. It'll seem kind of restful after that Beauty Show. You say the folks do all their fishing secretly, so other people won't notice? Well, I've rigged up a good big line and a strong cod hook and I've got some shrimps for bait and the whole contrivance is hid up my arm. I guess no one'll guess I'm fishing till they see me land the first fish."



Mr. Astor.

As the Aquarium would not yet be full they stopped for breakfast at the Astor House; where the Old Groceryman told the clerk he had just seen his boss, Mr. Astor, at the Beauty Show, up on Fifth avenue.



"There's Young Cornelius Vanderbilt."

After staying at the Astor House for an hour or so the two friends strolled down Broadway toward Battery Park.

"These are the Cathedral grounds," explained the Bad Boy as they entered the little park, "and there is the Cathedral," and he pointed to the ancient Castle Garden, now occupied by the Aquarium.

They hurried on, for the old man saw many people entering the building and was afraid some one else might catch the first fish.

When they reached the Aquarium the Old Groceryman stared in amazement at the horde of fish and hardly knew where to begin his piscatorial endeavors, especially since all the rest of the crowd were fishing so cautiously that he could not see that they were fishing at all. They seemed to be merely staring at the different fish tanks.

Coming at last to a big tank in the centre the old man saw what seemed to his near-sighted eyes several very large fishes swimming around and around. It was the seal tank, and the seals were as usual swimming on their backs, looking like huge, indistinct fish.

The old man thought this was his best chance for luck; so when no one was looking he tossed the hook, with its shrimp bait into the tank. The largest seal snapped it up like lightning, and the Old Groceryman began hauling him in hand over hand, grunting at the effort, and confused by the uproar among the other seals.

As the astonished seal neared the edge of the tank the Old Groceryman feared that his struggles might break the line; so he leaned over and grabbed the seal in both arms and by a mighty effort hauled him out, and shrieked aloud in triumph.

"Hooray! Hooroo for me! I win! Where's that medal? I catch the first fish! Merry Easter!"

The next moment, just as two Aquarium attendants reached him, the Old Groceryman's foot slipped and down he went, the seal and himself and the attendants rolling over and over in an indiscriminate heap, while men visitors clamored for the police and women shrieked "Fire!"

There was a miniature panic, in the course of which the seal bit the Old Groceryman twice in the leg; and the Bad Boy, by a clever move, managed to extract his old comrade from the scrimmage and hustle him away unnoticed through the excited throng

"Well, well, well!" panted the Old Groceryman as the Bad Boy thrust him into a cab and jumped in after him, telling the cabby to drive like mad; "that's about the first fishing story that ever happened to me. And I won the prize after all, and licked all them swell New York fishermen. I'll call later for the medal I suppose?"

"Yes," agreed the Bad Boy, "you'll call there a very, very good deal later.

GEO. W. PECK.

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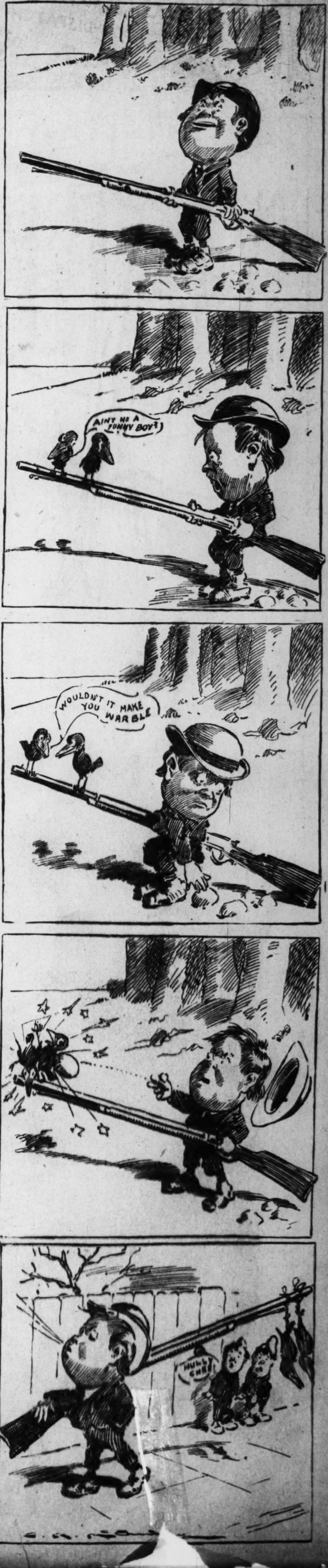
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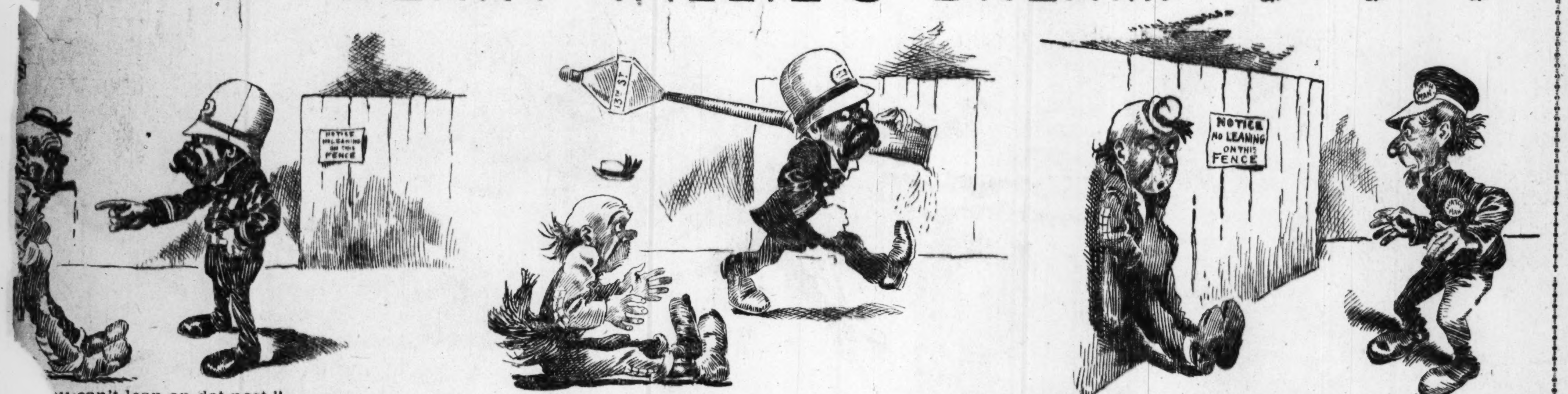
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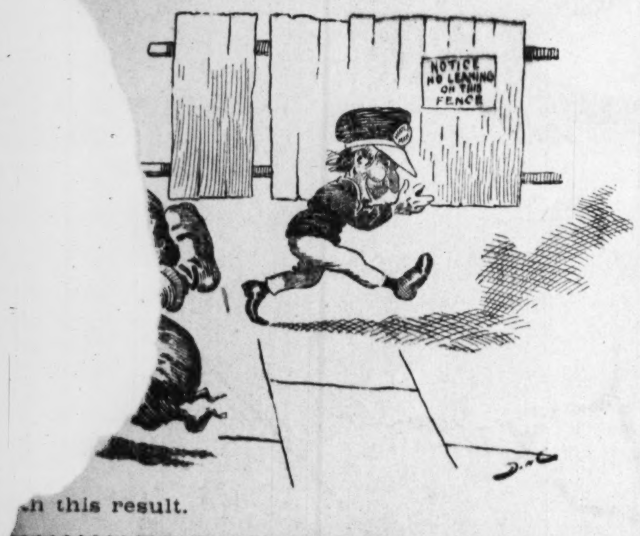
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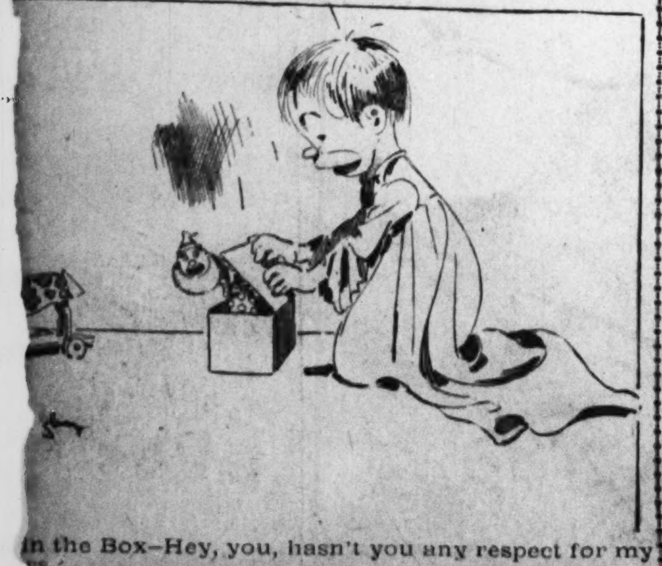

in the Box—Hey, you, hasn't you any respect for my

GEORGIE'S PAW

ON THE COMING AMERICAN EMPIRE.

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"SOMETIMES," maw sed a Few nites ago when paw and uncle Ramsey were both waiting for Her to get thru with the paper, "It allmost seems foolish for Us to go on Saving. If they are to be an Empire here in Twenty-five years they would Take the munny away from Us Ennyhow, So we mite as well Have a Good time with it Before the blo Falls."

"I s'pose," paw Told her, "if some Collidge professor would say they mite be a Flood here some Day you would thro away your umbrello and Think as long as you had to Get soaked enny how they wouldn't be enny use trying to keep from Getting wet before it happened, wouldn't you?"

"That makes me think of Just before I lost my laig at Spottsylvainey," Uncle Ramsey sed. "I had a Ingroing nail on That foot, so I went to the Serjun about it, and he says: 'I wouldn't have Ennything Done to it before the Battle. It mite get shot off, and Then all the bother of Having me Cut into it Would be waisted.' So, sure enuff, I lost the laig, and it makes me Glad whenever I think about it That I new Enuff to Take good advice. It tott me a Grate lesson in Life. Always look on the Brite side of Things, even if you're down in a Well and sumbuddy's nailed the cover on."

"But what's the matter with the Collidge professors Enny way?" maw ast. "It seems to me neerly all they Do lately is try To prepare us for the Worst."

"Well, I'll tell you," paw sed, "it's becoz they Don't get Enuff exercize. You see when a professor commences to profess he quits playing Base ball for fear it mite interfere with His dignutty, and the Only excitemunt he Gets is sometimes when anuther member of the Fackulty comes in at Nite and they Get to talking about what relashen the subterfuge bears to an allegorical plain that is equl Distant from the radius with a nob on One end. So pritty soon they Commence to grone in their Sleep or mebby wake up suddenly and Think they see horrable Things in the Room, and Then the first thing you no they Discuver that the Country's going to smash and couldn't tell you What ward they live in, or who is the mayor of Washington where the bullworks of the Guvernment are."

"But s'posing it would come true and We Had an empire," maw ast, "who'd be the Emperor, do you think?"

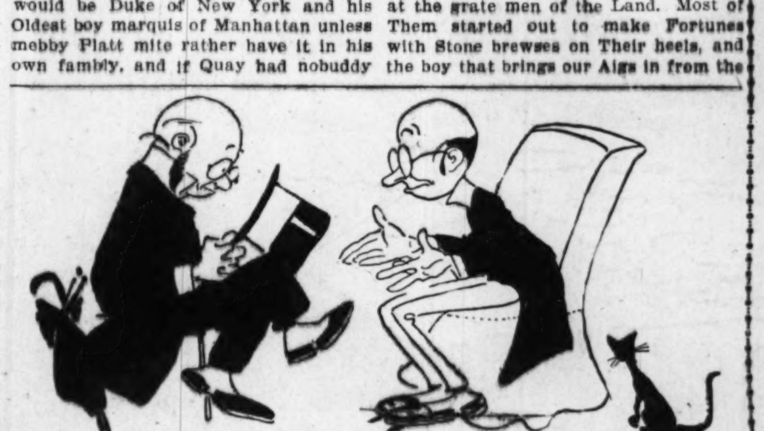
"Sumbuddy from Ohio," paw sed, "but I'd haft to think about it a Little while to Tell which One. J. Pierpont Morgan would be Duke of New York and his Oldest boy marquis of Manhattan unless mebby Platt mite rather have it in his own fambly, and if Quay had nobuddy else picked out for the place Swab could be Erl of Pittsburg. They mite make Bath House Jon the Vice count of Chicago, to get the plain peeple on their side. But I don't see why we need to Worry about this Empire bizness Enny way. Nearly everybuddy over here's got to be the Brother-in-Law of the nobility, so What's the difference? The only trubble Would be about Finding titles for the whole crowd, and That wouldn't be so Hard, after all, Becos we could use the names of the Sleeping cars if it would come to a pinch."

Mamie came in From the kitchen Along about that time and Told maw she had some news.

"What is it?" paw sed before maw Got a chance. "Is sumthing the matter with the Gas stove so I'll haft to Send for a Plummer?"

"No," she anserd, "our Club's Going to Hold a meeting Here next Thursday nite. The Lady that Got us to organize wants us to Lern all about Social culture, and we thot it Would be a Good place to start here."

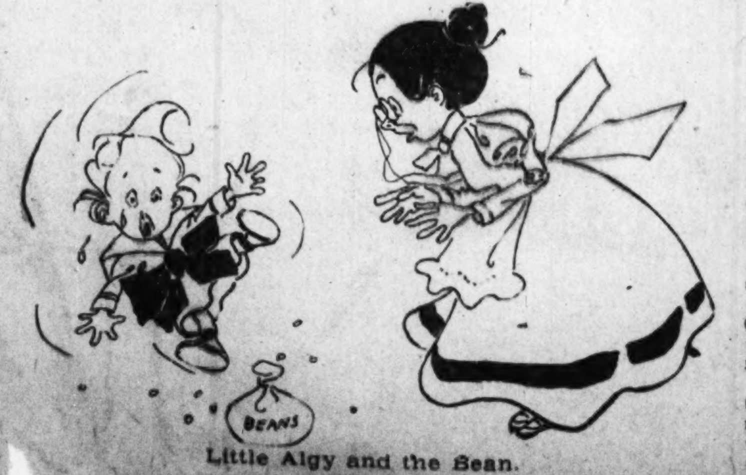
"That's rite," paw Told her. "I always believe in having peeple Get refinement, becoz you never Can tell what mite Happen in a Free country. Look at the grate men of the Land. Most of Them started out to make Fortunes with Stone brewses on Their heels, and the boy that brings our Aigs in from the Country to-day mite get up a patent medasun the First thing we no and Have a brick Bilding with forty-three acres of Floor space. The barber that Ust to Shave me six years ago pays Three hundred Dollars a munth To his Campain manager now, and Lets him Hold a sittle offus, So the munny duzzen't come Out of his own pockut. But he Can't go out in Society much becoz his Wife didn't belong to a Maid's Union that studied culture, and Think how sad it'll be When he gets in Congress and She must pretend to Be sick abed every time the Diplomattick core calls to pay its respects. I always Beleave in encurridging peeple to Get reddy for high stations, becos you never can tell how soon the man you are engaged to mite open a Bucket shop or Go into politicks."



The Faculty Talking at Night.

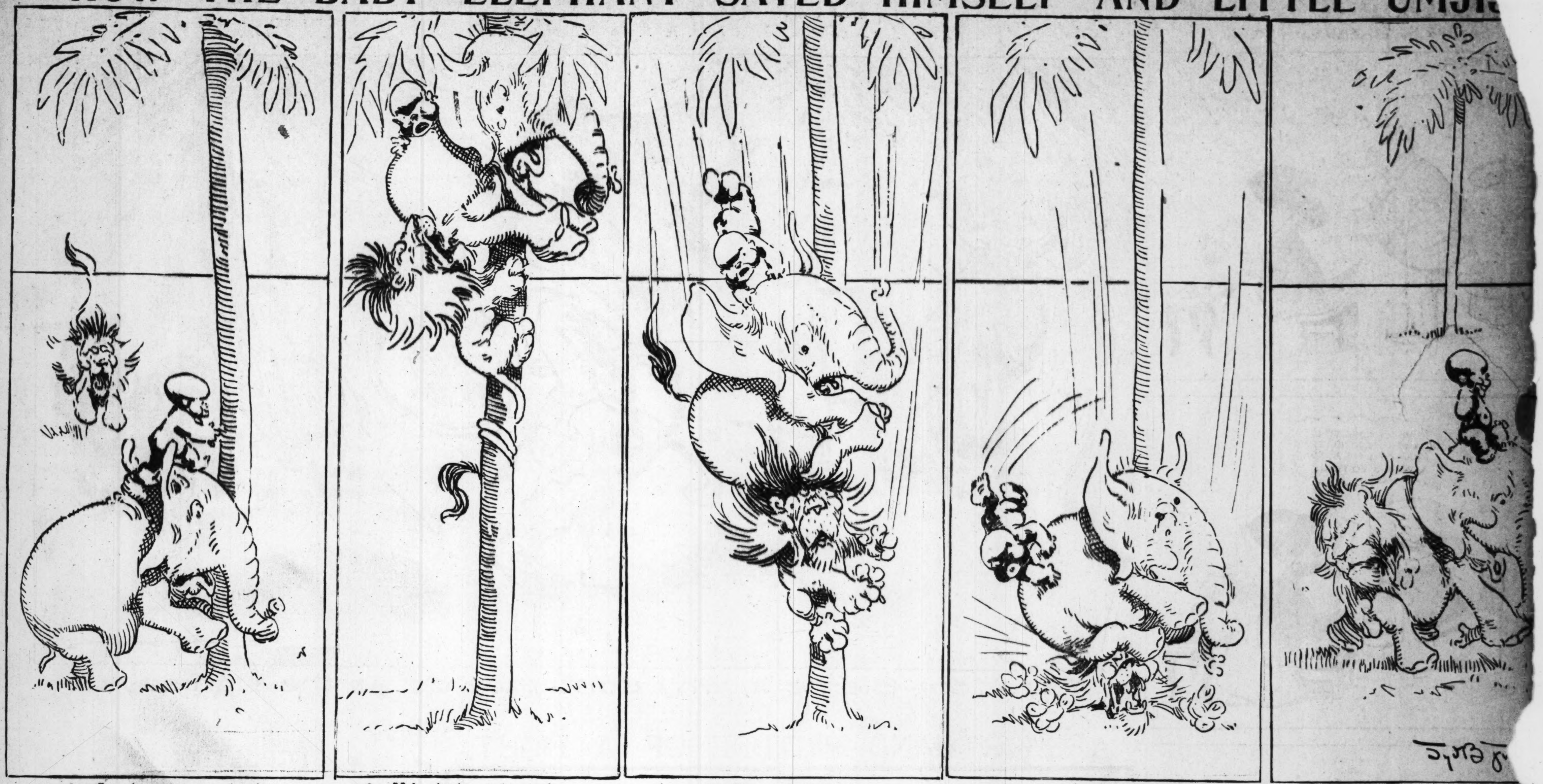
Little Albert got a Bean so far Up his nose Then that we couldn't Shake it out of him, so I had to run for the Doctor.

GEORGIE.



Little Algy and the Bean.

HOW THE BABY ELEPHANT SAVED HIMSELF AND LITTLE UMJI



1.—Gee, here comes a lion!

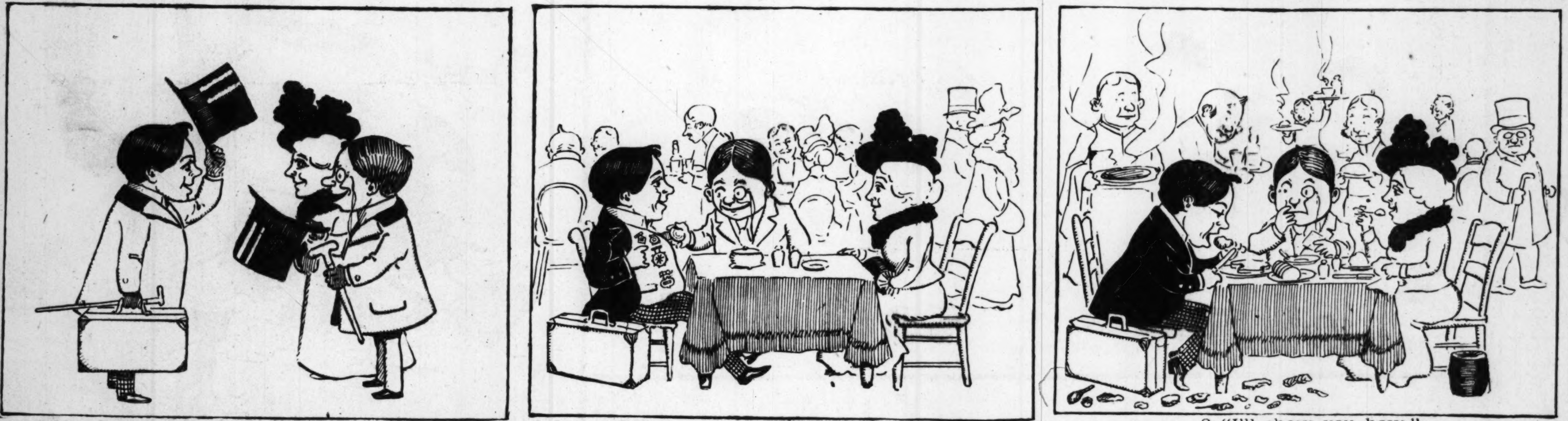
2.—He's climbing after us!

3.—Oh, we're falling!

4.—Crash!

5.—Well, well, well!

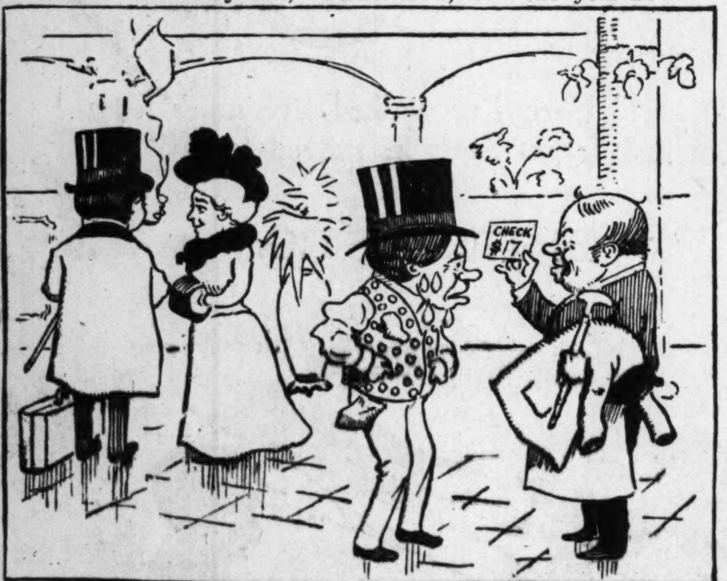
HE LIVED UP TO HIS REPUTATION.



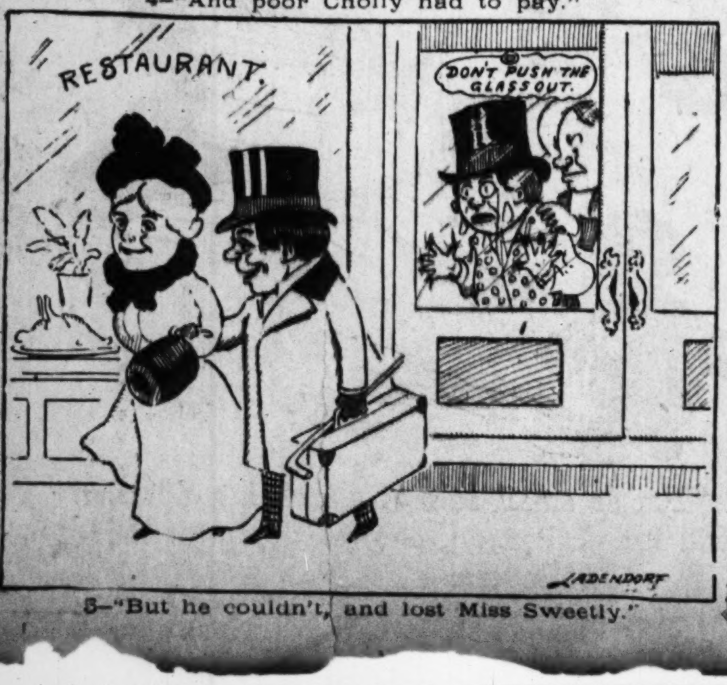
1—Miss Sweetly—Ah, Cousin Bob, how do you do?

2—Cousin Bob—I won these medals at a beefsteak contest.

3—"I'll show you how."



4—"And poor Cholly had to pay."



5—"But he couldn't, and lost Miss Sweetly."

MAY IRWIN'S HOUSEHOLD DEPARTMENT.

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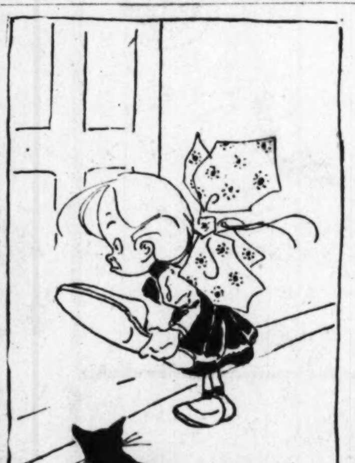
I NOTICE of late years a growing tendency on the part of parents toward impertinence and even disobedience in their relations with their children; as well as a neglectful and unprotecting attitude from children to their parents. In view of this it seems up to me to guide both parties back into the straight and narrow path by means of a department of Maudlin Meanderings for the Home Circle. I am the more convinced that, in deciding this, my always unerring wisdom has again scored 100 out of a possible 92; by the horde of letters on the subject written me of late, by parents smarting under the domineering injustice of their children, and by children heartbroken at the waywardness of their fathers and mothers. So here is the stage of the game where Auntie May applies another pailful of balm to scratched feelings. The following are a few of my letters:



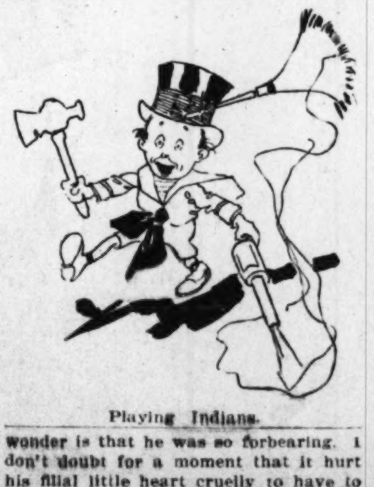
Met him at the door.

Dear Auntie May:

I am a fond, but heartbroken mother. My little son, Agesilaus (aged four), makes my life a burden. The other night his father and I went out to a dance. We promised him to be home by 12, but it was 2 before we remembered to come home. We found the door locked, and little Agesilaus sat perched in the window seat on the second floor and read us a stern lecture on our lateness. After which he dropped a basketful of eggs down on our heads. Now, I deserved the scolding and I might even forgive his babyish pleasantry of sprinkling us with eggs were it not that the eggs were of that experienced sort whose pristine sweetness of disposition has been marred by age and harsh circumstances. He would not let us in till the milkman came along at 6. By that time there was eight inches of snow on us. Advise me.

MARTYRED MOTHER.

Now, my dear mother, come here and let me hold your two hands in mine and look straight into Auntie May's big, beautiful eyes while she scolds you a little. You deserved all that little Agesilaus inflicted on you, and my only wonder is that he was so forbearing. I don't doubt for a moment that it hurt his filial little heart cruelly to have to punish you at all. Think how cold and sleepy the dear little fellow must have become sitting there all night in that great lonely window seat, with nothing more invigorating to watch than his two snowy parents out in the street! My heart aches for him. If you ever happen to meet your little boy again, go straight up to him and kiss him and tell him how sorry you are and promise never to be bad again. Perhaps he may even go so far as to forgive you.



Playing Indians.

Miss Irwin, Madam:

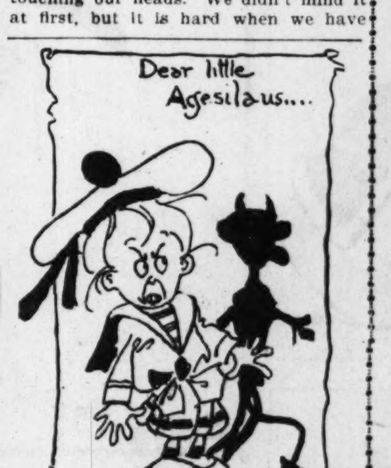
It is with extreme reticence that I approach you on so delicate a subject as my father's misdemeanors. He is a large old gentleman with snow white whiskers and a pink clearing on the top of his head. He has always been a good father to me during the seven years that I have known him (I will be eight next February) until lately, when he declared his intention of joining the Union League Club. I remonstrated with him; gently at first, then more firmly, but to no avail. I was at last forced reluctantly to resort to corporal punishment in order to make him obey. Every night as he sneaked home from the club I would meet him at the door with a slipper, and his cries would alarm the neighborhood. But even this fails to break him of the club habit; and the many punishments only seem to harden him and make him sulk. What am I to do? I am well nigh distracted.

MAISIE SWATTERLEIGH.

Don't you think, Maisie, that you've been just a wee trifle harsh with papa? It is only natural for old gentlemen to enjoy club life, if home is not made sufficiently attractive to them. Next time he shows symptoms of going to the club do not chide him, but try to interest him in simple home joys. For instance, set him to building castles with your alphabet blocks or playing a nice thrilling game of "Ring Around Rosy" with you and the cook, or perhaps have a sliding race down the balusters with him.

Auntie May:

I try to be patient with my thirty-six children, but they get on my nerves most hideously. Their favorite occupation is "playing Indians." The whole thirty-six of them arm themselves with hatchets and heavy calibre revolvers and pursue my crippled mother and myself about the house, hacking at us with their hatchets and seeing how clean they can shoot off our ears without touching our heads. We didn't mind it at first, but it is hard when we have callers. My nerves are worn to shreds. My mother is in the hospital just now, her skull being fractured in four places by their hatchets. Can't you tell me what to do, please?


Dear little Agesilaus....

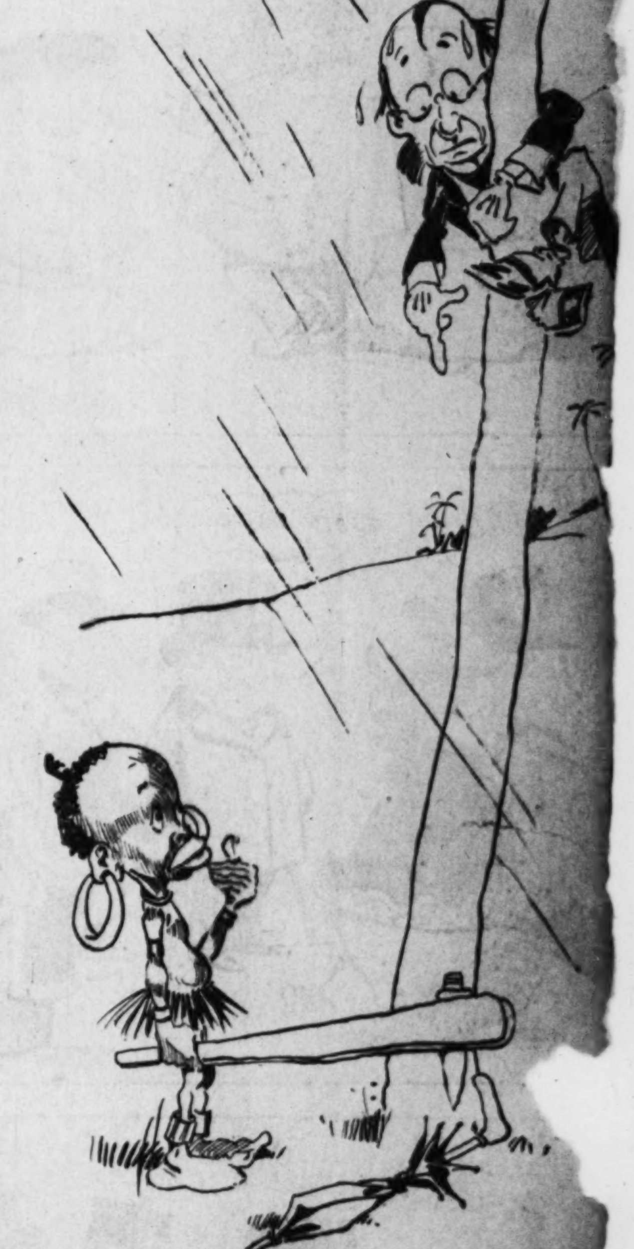
Poor little chap.

DISHEARTENED FATHER.

To be frank with you, a man of your nature has no right to be the father of such charming little ones. Do you ever pause to remember that you were a boy yourself once? And yet you frown on the innocent sports of your own little ones. Pray, sir, do you consider it beneath your dignity to join the pretty pastimes of the children? If so you are a brute. So, there! If you have a spark of kindly feeling left in your nature, make some atonement to them for your crossness. All children love pets. Put them all in one big room and give them half a dozen nice big tigers to play with. Lock them and their pets together. Then go back in an hour, and not one peevish look or petulant frown will greet you.

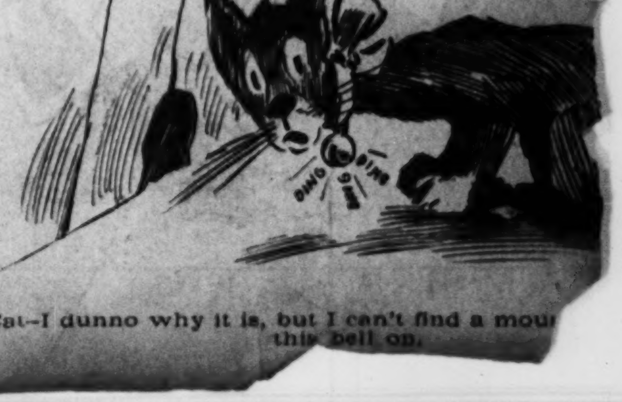
AUNTIE MAY (May Irwin).

A REQUEST.



"Say, hand me up my umbrella!"

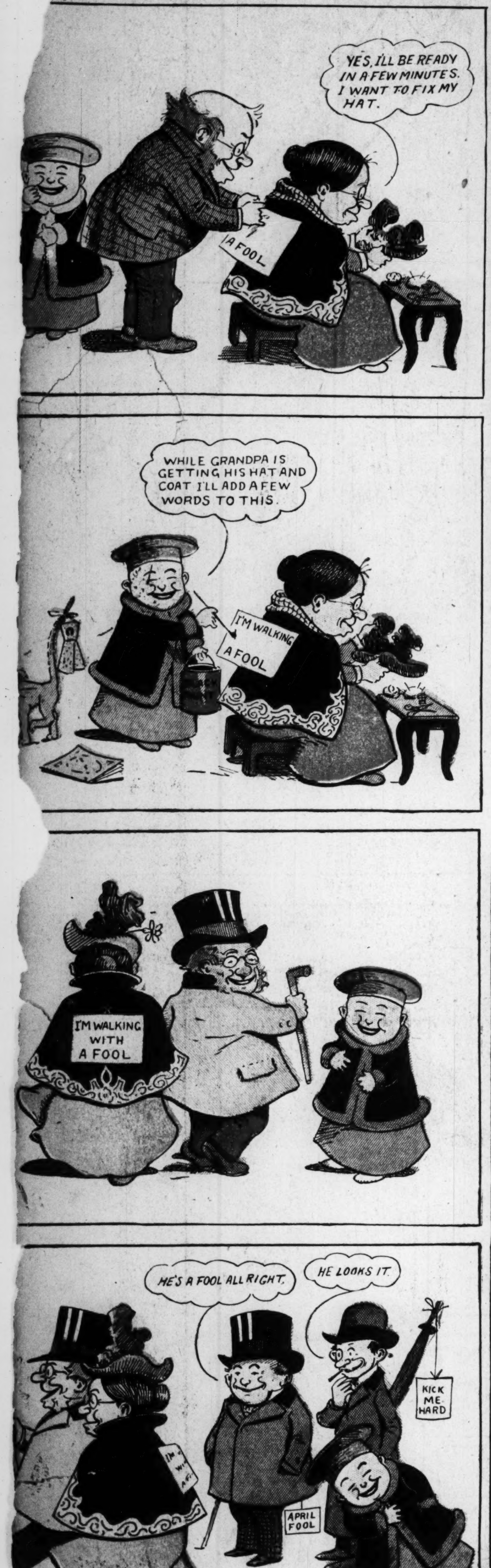
HOODOOED.



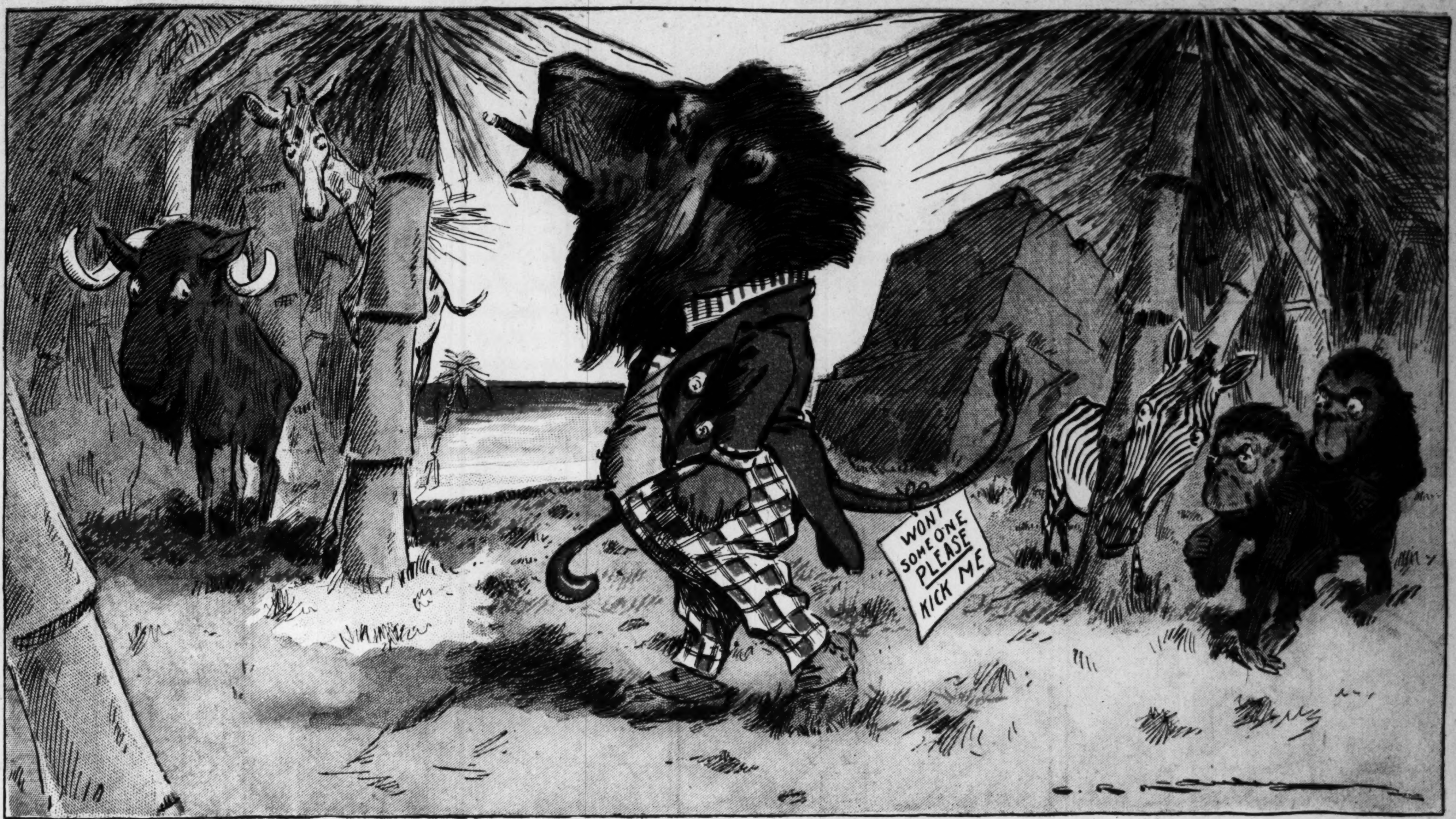
Cat—I dunno why it is, but I can't find a mou
this bell on.

ANDPA'S JOKE.

Spoiled by Mischievous Willie.

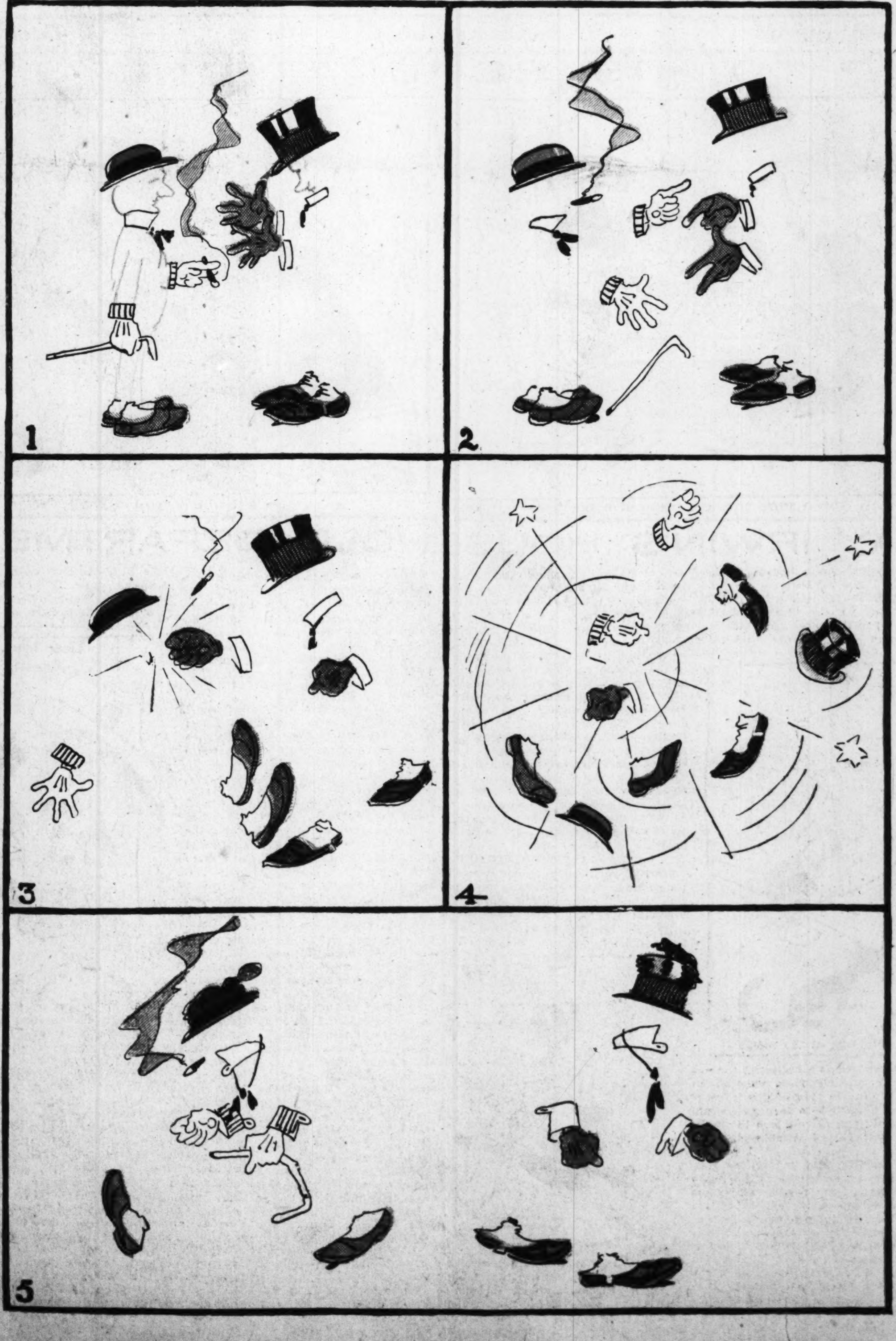

YES, I'LL BE READY IN A FEW MINUTES. I WANT TO FIX MY HAT.
A FOOL
WHILE GRANDPA IS GETTING HIS HAT AND COAT I'LL ADD A FEW WORDS TO THIS.
I'M WALKING A FOOL
I'M WALKING WITH A FOOL
HE'S A FOOL ALL RIGHT.
HE LOOKS IT.
KICK ME HARD
APRIL FOOL
I'M WALKING WITH A FOOL

WELL, WHY DON'T THEY?

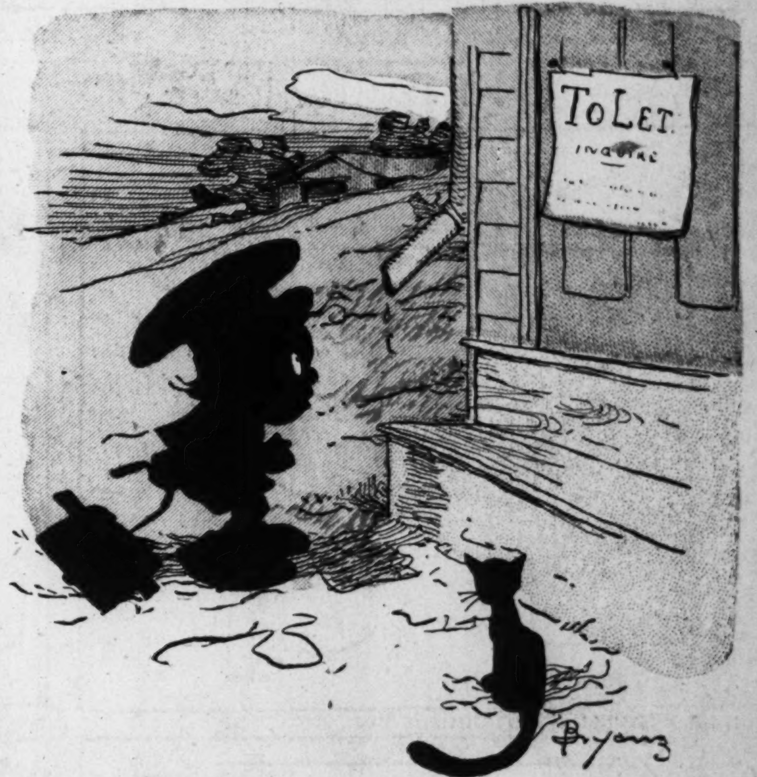

WONT SOMEONE PLEASE KICK ME

The Lion---Blame it, why don't they do as the sign says?

A SHORTHAND PICTURE OF A FIGHT.

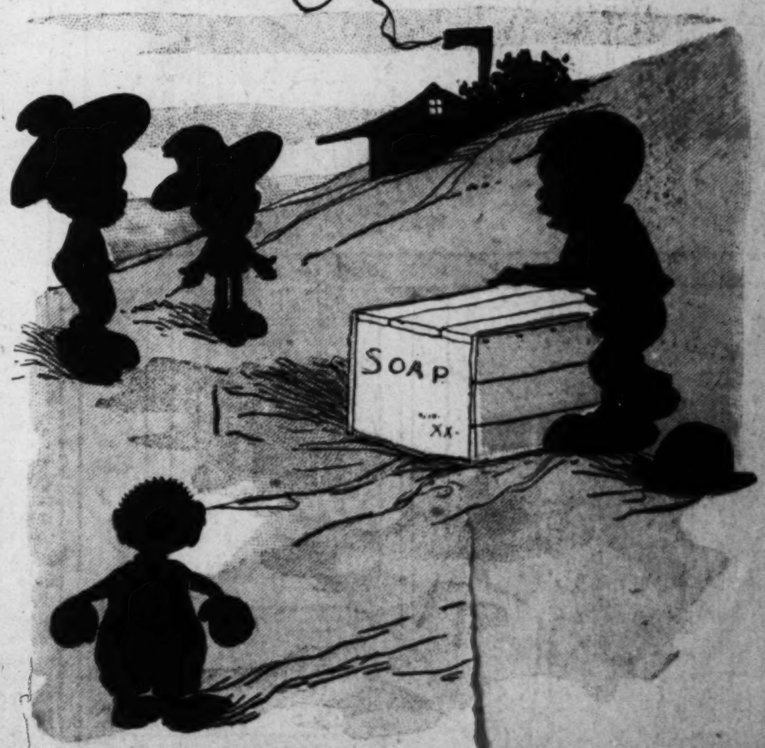


FORGETFUL.


To Let.
Bryans

"Gee! Here I've walked five miles from school and forgot de folks moved to-day."

ENTERPRISING.



"For de small sum of a nickel, gentlemen, I will lift de box an' show a footprint made by Terry McGovern."

A BEAUTIFUL EASTER CAROL.

ALL HAIL THE GLORIOUS MORN.

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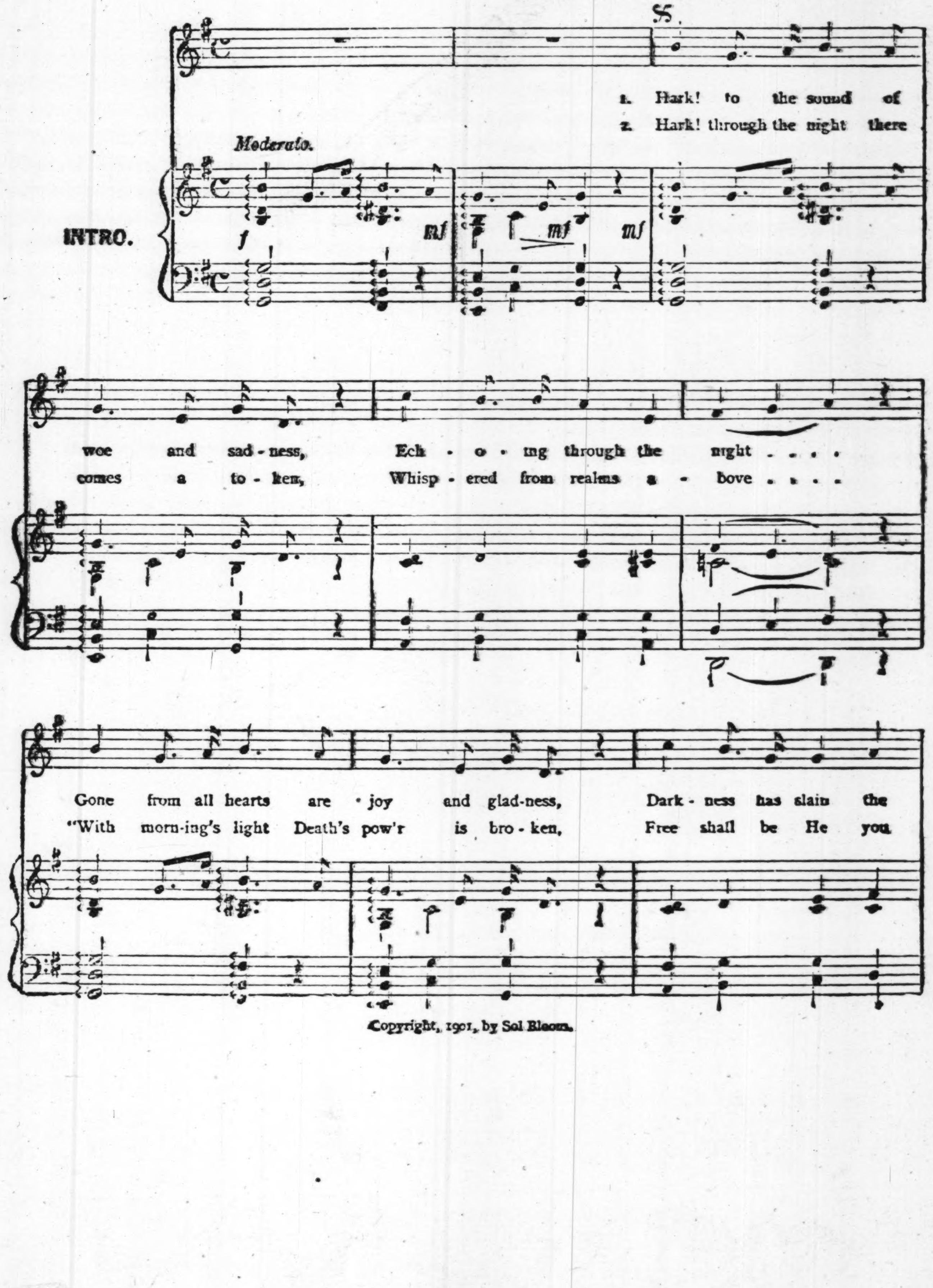
Moderato.
INTRO.
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1. Hark! to the sound of woe and sad-ness, Ech-o-ing through the night . . . . Gone from all hearts are joy and glad-ness, Dark-ness has slain the
2. Hark! through the night there comes a to-ken, Whisp-ered from realms a-bove . . . . "With morn-ing's light Death's pow'r is bro-ken, Free shall be He you

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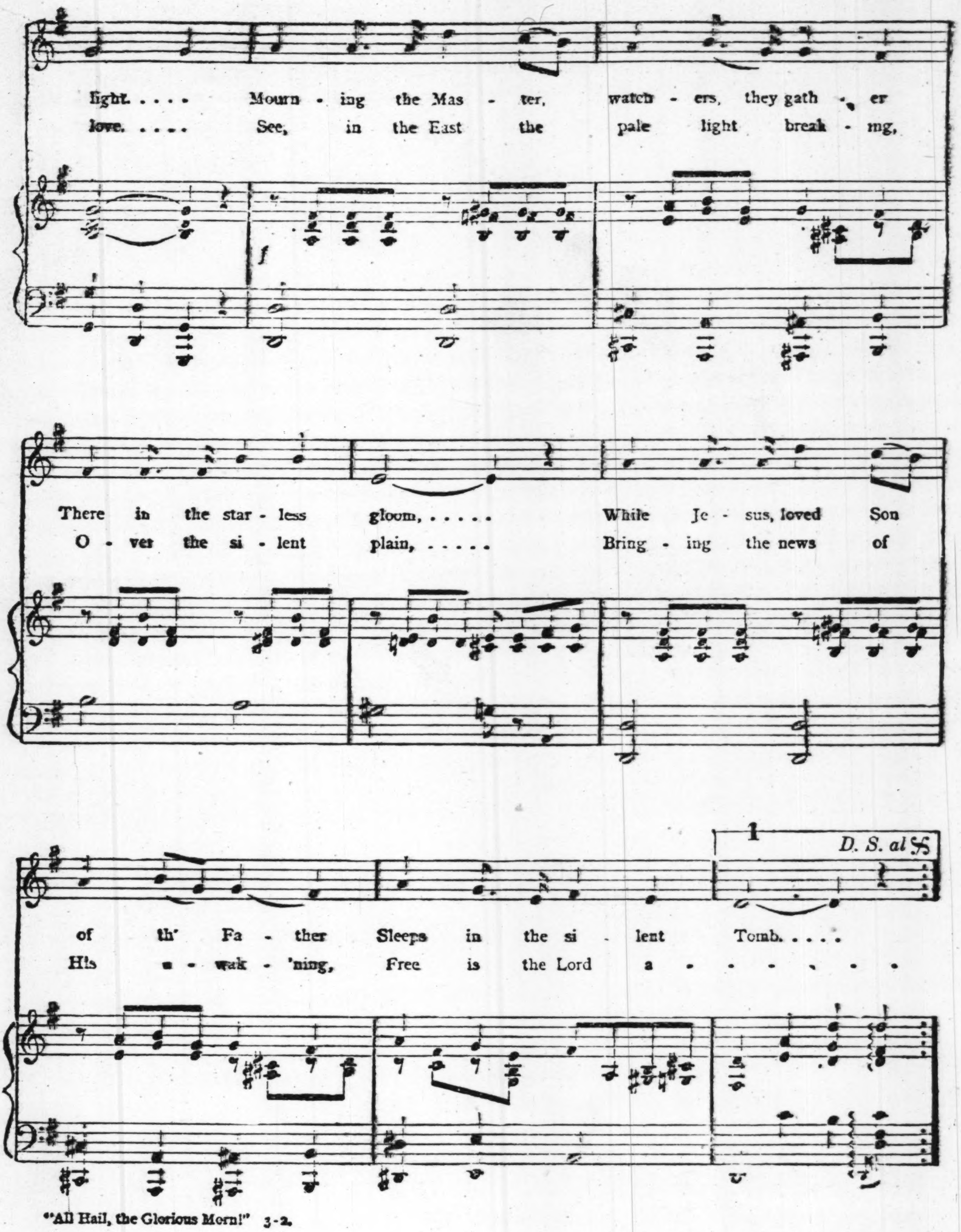
light. . . . . Mourn - ing the Mas - ter, watch - ers, they gath - er
love. . . . . See, in the East the pale light break - ing,
f
There in the star - less gloom, ... While Je - sus, loved Son
O - ver the si - lent plain, ... Bring - ing the news of
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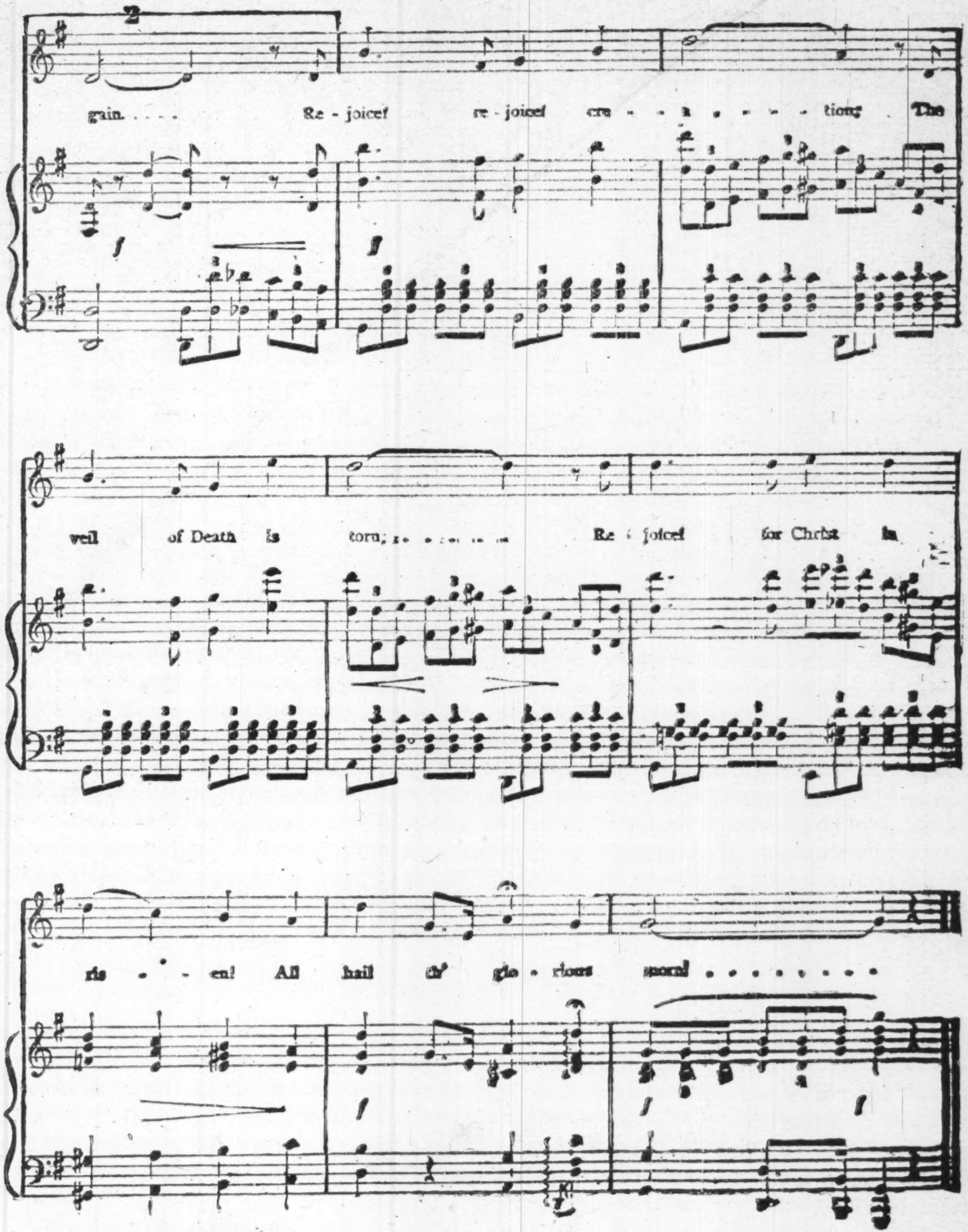
of th' Fa - ther Sleeps in the si - lent Tomb. . . . .
His a - wak - 'ning, Free is the Lord a - - - - - - -


gain....
Re-joice!
re-joice!
cre-a-tion!
The veil of Death is torn;
Re-joice!
for Christ is
ris-en!
All hail th' glo-rious morn!
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